

CHIEF OF POLICE HODGKINS HAS RESIGNED

CAPTAIN PETERSEN
WILL SUCCEED HIM
AS HEAD OF FORCE



CAPTAIN W. J. PETERSEN, SCHEDULED TO BE CHIEF OF POLICE.

Mayor Mott and Commissioner Turner Have Agreed to Make the Change in Department at Once.

It is at last definitely settled that St. Clair Hodgkins is to be superseded as Chief of Police. His successor will be W. J. Petersen, who has for several years past been night captain of police.

The resignation of Hodgkins has been in the hands of Mayor Mott for a month past, to be used as his discretion might direct.

While the Mayor has all along desired to make a change in the head of the Police Department, the resignation of Hodgkins was not presented to the Board of Police Commissioners because no agreement could be reached as to who should succeed to the office.

City Engineer Turner wanted Hodgkins retained and City Attorney McElroy objected to Petersen. In consequence, the resignation of Hodgkins has been held in abeyance, pending efforts of the Police Commissioners to arrive at an understanding as to who should be his successor.

Petersen has finally won out, Commissioner Turner agreeing to vote for him.

It is understood that there will be no reorganization of the force along radical lines.

The impending change may be made at any moment—probably tomorrow—although it may possibly be postponed till the next regular meeting of the Board, which takes place next Wednesday. In all probability the retirement of Hodgkins and the election of Petersen will take place at once, as the preliminaries have all been adjusted.

Captain W. J. Petersen, who is to succeed to the Chief's baton, has made an excellent record on the police force. He has worked himself up from patrolman through the grade of sergeant to a captaincy without meeting with any backset or having his fidelity questioned. He has proved himself an

alert, vigilant and fearless officer, and has long been regarded as a capable man to head the department. He was strongly urged for the Chief's baton when Mayor Olney was elected, but he could never get the votes of two Commissioners.

Ever since his induction into office Mayor Mott has desired to make Petersen Chief, but not until the present time has his desire received the second of another Commissioner.

Petersen came to this city many years ago, a friendless young man, and has made himself a place in the community by his own exertions.

At first he took menial employment, but he raised himself by his persistence and ability to better positions. He made a good record for efficiency from the moment he donned the uniform.

RUSSIAN CRUISER ON THE BAY

VALLEJO, Cal., August 9.—The interned Russian cruiser Luna, escorted by the United States torpedo boat Fox and the tug Active left the Mare Island navy yard for a trial of her machinery which has been undergoing repairs. The cruiser will visit Angel Island and make a round of San Francisco bay, but will not go outside the Golden Gate. She will return to the navy yard tomorrow.

CONDITION OF BANK.
WASHINGTON, August 9.—The Comptroller of the Currency today made public a statement showing the condition of the failed City National Bank of Kansas City. It classifies the assets as follows: Good, \$489,998; doubtful, \$551,398; worthless, \$71,682.

ENVOYS MEET; TERMS OF PEACE ARE NOT DISCUSSED

Japanese Representative, Owing to Misunderstanding, Fails to Bring His Credentials to Place of Meeting.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., August 9.—The first session of the peace conference between the Russian and Japanese plenipotentiaries has been concluded.

The meeting lasted about one hour, during which time the credentials of each mission were examined respectively by the other.

The credentials were found to be entirely satisfactory.

The only other business transacted was the agreement on a program for future sessions.

The next meeting will be held at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow.

AFTER CONFERENCE.

After the conference the envoys spent some time in their respective offices, leaving the general conference building shortly after noon.

The return to Newcastle was by launch. Baron Komura and Minister Takahira were the first to leave the navy yard landing.

The Russians followed shortly afterward, the trip to the hotel landing being made by the Russians and the Japanese in separate boats.

The envoys have decided that the English and French languages shall be used jointly, and that the official minutes shall be recorded in both languages.

The official details of the daily program have not yet been made public.

A representative of the Associated Press was received by one of the envoys within ten minutes after the Baron returned to Newcastle and in reply to questions about the conference he said:

TERMS NOT DISCUSSED.

"You can say that this morning's

meeting was entirely satisfactory so far as it went. Our next meeting will be held tomorrow morning. Provided all goes well we will get down to business then.

"The terms were not discussed at today's meeting."

On behalf of Baron Komura and Minister Takahira, M. Sato handed the following official statement to the Associated Press regarding this morning's meeting:

"Today's meeting was informal for the purpose of settling the method of procedure and in that meeting it was decided that formal meetings will commence tomorrow morning at 9:30. Meetings will be held twice a day, one from 9:30 to 12:30 and the other from 3 to 6 in the afternoon, with modifications which may be made later. No serious business was transacted at this morning's session."

After the plenipotentiaries left their hotel for the navy yard, Mr. Honda, private secretary to Baron Komura, went to the apartments of the Russian mission he was received in the reception room by Mr. Saipoff, Mr. Deplanche, Mr. Barthoff and Dr. Borg. Mr. Honda said the object of his visit was to discuss the program arranged by the members of the two missions.

The short conversation which followed was very cordial. It was decided that cards should either be left at the office or that a secretary from each side should convey in the respective departments and there formally be received.

FRATERNIZE.

It is now noticed that with each day the members of the two missions are fraternizing more easily and it is no longer a subject for comment when a Russian and a Japanese are seen talking together.

Whether the meeting this morning will be for the purpose of more than ex-

changing credentials will not be known until the plenipotentiaries return to their hotels. Baron Komura and M. Witte petitioned the Assistant Secretary Pierce shortly before leaving the yard today that every one be excluded from the yard throughout the time that the envoys are meeting.

Even the members of each mission to gain entrance will be requested to show passes signed by their chiefs and countersigned by the commandant of the yard.

Had not their automobiles been waiting for them, Baron Komura and M. Witte would have gone to the yard by launches. Baron Komura asked Mr. Pierce about going that way and launches were at once secured. Baron Komura, however, seeing his automobile waiting insisted on going in the way that had been arranged.

RUSSIA'S THANKS.

Before leaving his hotel this morning one of the Russian in a conversation with a correspondent of the Associated Press said:

"I wish you would reiterate on behalf of ourselves how grateful we are for the courtesies extended to us aboard the Mayflower by Captain Winslow and his officers. Our every wants were supplied, in fact anticipated, and the trip on the Mayflower was enjoyed even by those who were not good sailors."

The Japanese have been profuse in their expressions of gratitude for the hospitality rendered them abroad the Dolphin by Captain Gibbons.

It is expected that Captain Winslow and Captain Gibbons will call officially today on the plenipotentiaries at their hotel. The exchange of official calls between the two will probably take place this afternoon.

PAPERS MISSING.

That M. Witte should have brought

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STROKE OF APOPLEXY DUE TO EXPLOSION OF THE BENNINGTON



HEMAN A. KIMBALL, SR., WHO HAS SUSTAINED AN APOPLECTIC STROKE, AS A CONSEQUENCE OF LEARNING OF THE BLOWING UP OF THE GUNBOAT BENNINGTON, OF THE CREW OF WHICH HIS SON, HEMAN A. KIMBALL JR., WAS A MEMBER. THE YOUNG SEAMAN, HOWEVER, ESCAPED UNHURT.

Father is Said to be Dying, But His Young Son Escaped Injury in the Awful Blast on Boat.

The horrible explosion of the gunboat Bennington was merciful to Heman A. Kimball Jr., one of the members of the crew and a resident of this city, who escaped without injury, but the shock reached over the shoulders of the young seaman and prostrated his father, Heman A. Kimball Sr., almost beyond the hope of recovery.

PARENT STRICKEN.

The parent has been stricken with apoplexy and is physically and mentally incapacitated.

STROKE FORETOLD.

Dr. Meacham, who is in attendance, says that the outcome of the attack depends upon the size of the clot of blood which has formed on the brain. He foretold the attack when the news of the disaster to the Bennington reached here. This intelligence was kept from the father who was ill at the time because it was known that the patient was not in condition to sustain the shock which the imparting of such unwelcome news would occasion, all the more so because of the fact of the son of the ailing man being a member of the crew of the ill-fated vessel.

FATE OF SON UNKNOWN.

There was another reason for keeping the elder Kimball in the dark regarding the tragedy and that was the fact that, for several days after the disaster the fate of the younger Kimball on the Bennington was unknown.

At length, however, when Mrs. Kimball was assured of the miraculous escape of her stepson, she guardedly informed her husband of what had taken place, making it as clear as possible, however, that young Heman

Kimball had escaped injury. Despite her premeditated care in the premises, however, the elder Kimball sustained a shock as a consequence of which he now hovers between life and death.

Heman A. Kimball Sr., the father, was himself a soldier in the Civil War. He was a member of 159th Massachusetts volunteers and it was with his express permission that his son decided to become a defender of his country at sea. He is also a member of Admiral Porter Post, G. A. R. of this city.

Mrs. Kimball, wife of the stricken man, also comes of a patriotic family. Her father was also a soldier in the Civil War, having been a member of Fourth Michigan Cavalry, which took a hand in the capture of Jefferson Davis.

MANY WELCOME TAFT PARTY

MANILA, August 9.—Thousands of people attended the reception given to Secretary Taft, Miss Alice Roosevelt and the other members of their party by the Army and Navy Club tonight. Rear Admiral Enquist of the Russian navy and his staff were present. The reception was the most brilliant in the history of Manila.

During the morning the party, in automobiles, inspected new Fort McKinley, and reviewed the troops. In the afternoon the tobacco planters were given a hearing. Senator Scott of West Virginia acting as chairman of the meeting.

Previous to the evening reception, the establishment of the largest, richest and most Spanish-Philippine commercial firm on the islands was announced.

YELLOW FEVER IS SPREADING

Sixty New Cases Have Been Reported Since Yesterday.

Noon—yellow fever report: New cases in New Orleans since 6 p. m. Tuesday—12. Total cases to date—623. Deaths since 6 p. m. Tuesday—3. Total deaths—118.

The report of sixty new cases of yellow fever in New Orleans yesterday and of 12 to noon today shows how complete the infection is in the district below Canal street.

The hope has been expressed that under favorable conditions the middle of September will bring the announcement that no more cases exist in New Orleans, but the developments of yesterday and this morning show that if the task be accomplished by that time it will add a new wonder to the world of science and confirm beyond doubt the theory of the "steamy."

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DOCTORS COULD DO NO GOOD

Archbishop Had Little Chance After He Was Stricken.

NEW ORLEANS, August 9.—A sudden change in his condition today speedily culminated in the death of Archbishop Chappelle of the diocese of Louisiana. The end came at 12:50 p. m. The news of the Archbishop's death created a profound shock. Monsignor Chappelle was taken ill with yellow fever on Friday.

He had returned to the city three days before having just completed a tour of Louisiana, and announced his intention of helping to stamp out the fever. The Archbishop, however, left his house on only one occasion before he was taken sick.

On Friday he complained of the symptoms which are the forerunner of yellow fever.

Dr. Larue, the Archbishop's physician, on Friday diagnosed the case as

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CITY TO COMPLETE BOULEVARD

Board of Works Asks Council to Take Action.

At a meeting of the Board of Public Works this morning it was recommended that the City Council take the necessary action to begin the construction of the boulevard on the Eastern shore of Lake Merritt and the extension of Pleasant Valley avenue as far as Perry street. It is suggested that the inner 75 feet of the boulevard be graded and improved under the Vrooman act by the district assessment plan. The remaining 75 feet of the boulevard will be improved at the expense of the entire city.

On the report of Fire Chief Ball the board accepted the fire engine, No. 7, which has been recently repaired by the Union Machine Company.

Superintendent of Streets Charles Ott fell on street to the Twelfth street dam in a reverse curve. It was also recommended that Hopkins street be extended westerly from Clinton street to Pleasant

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TAFT & PENNOYER

Our Semi-Annual Half Price Remnant Sale

Commences tomorrow, Thursday, August 10th and will run until Saturday the 12th. This will be an unsurpassed opportunity for all, as every department will offer inducements.

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TAFT & PENNOYER

BROADWAY (Private Exchange?) FOURTEENTH

REAL ESTATE MEN WORK ON MERRITT PROTEST HOSPITAL

BERKELEY, August 9.—The Berkeley Real Estate Association appeared in a body before the Board of Education last night to protest against the enforcement of the law, which requires the payment of a \$50 tuition tax by all high school pupils whose fathers are not registered voters of Berkeley. The Board of Education interpreted the law on the subject to apply to any family, the head of which is not a citizen of Berkeley. If a family consisting of mother and children that reside in Berkeley because of the educational advantages, and the father is in business elsewhere, the children are subject to a tuition tax.

The real estate men last night presented a lengthy petition that the board rescind its ruling in regard to the tuition tax. They declare that the rule which is enforced will keep hundreds of families away from the town, and so would work damage to the town, especially the real estate men, a large part of whose business is the securing of houses and boarding houses for families that come here to send their children to the Berkeley schools.

R. A. Barry was spokesman for the real estate men. He pointed out the loss that would accrue to the town by reason of the short sighted policy of the Board of Education. Dr. Knowles replied to the petitioner and made a case of the board that has been criticized of late. In the course of his remarks he said that he was not a diplomat and that he looked for the fact. He then went on to prove the fact by announcing to the world that the Berkeley High School is only rated as third class, anyway. In his speech Mr. Barry took up no side issues. He spoke to the point and showed the board that from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 is spent in Berkeley annually by residents who come there to patronize the school advantages.

The Board of Education from the force of his argument said that they need the money that the tuition would bring to run the High School. It was finally suggested that the Town Trustees will probably allow from the Town funds an amount equal to the tuition money. The board adopted the suggestion, and the matter will come up before the trustees in their next meeting.

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one of genuine yellow fever. From the first he was apprehensive as to results. Archbishop Chappelle was very stout of build, full blooded and past sixty years of age, and the fever is always alarming in a patient under those conditions.

The disease made steady inroads upon the venerable patient and early today he showed signs of increasing weakness.

Before noon there was an alarming change for the worse.

Minut physicians were immediately summoned for consultation, but the Archbishop was beyond succor.

BASEMENT COMPLETED AND SUPERSTRUCTURE NOW GOING UP.

Excellent progress is being made in the erection of the initial structures of the Merritt Hospital upon the grounds of the old Hopkins Academy, near St. Mary's College.

There are two structures in course of construction, one of these is a ward building, which is 110x40 feet. The other is the operating pavilion, which is forty feet square. The foundation and basement story of these buildings have been completed. It is of concrete and is of a most desirable character. The contractors may now proceed with the brick work of the superstructures. These buildings, when completed and furnished, will have cost \$50,000. Besides these structures there yet remain to be erected an administration and three ward buildings. The cost of the six structures furnished will be about \$250,000.

Dr. Wheeler, one of the trustees of the hospital, says that the Board has an elegant portrait of the founder of the institution for the administration building, but that they may yet decide to supplement that with a statue of the philanthropist.

TO COMPLETE THE BOULEVARD

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avenue on an easy grade and to have a width of not less than 80 feet. Hugh Hagan, on behalf of the Highland Park Improvement Club, petitioned the board to place a chemical engine in the vicinity of Highland Park on upper Courtland avenue. The petition was placed on file but will be taken up another time. The application of A. Brown for a position as park gardener, was placed on file.

The application of F. Y. Chapin to erect an electric sign at 1057 Broadway street was granted.

Permit was also granted Collins Brothers to erect an electric sign at 1145 Washington street.

J. H. Goody was denied permission to distribute program at the City Hall park at Friday night concerts.

Kress and Horwill were granted permission to maintain a temporary cloth sign at 1070 Broadway street.

The application of A. E. Dupuy for an alarm box at Twenty-fourth and Telegraph avenue was referred to the Chief Engineer of the fire department and the City Electrician.

The applications of George Roeth for the electric light on Telegraph avenue near Forty-eighth street, George D. Derick at Oakland and Pearl avenues, and of H. F. Green for a light at the corner

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his credentials to the conference, and Baron Komura should have left his at the Hotel Wentworth appears to have been due to a misunderstanding Baron Komura, thinking that this morning's session would be entirely informal, as indeed it was, and therefore that it would not be necessary to take the documents.

Soon after the session convened, however, M. Witte drew out his credentials. Baron Komura was able, however, to give in detail the nature of his powers and this incident did not in the slightest degree delay the progress of the meeting.

Because, however, there was no other business to transact, and because it would have taken an hour or more to get the official Japanese papers from the Wentworth to the navy yard, M. Witte's credentials, after being thoroughly examined, were returned to him, and tomorrow Baron Komura will be on hand with his credentials.

It was not desired that this incident should be commented upon, as the envoys are so well satisfied that the powers on both sides are entirely satisfactory that they regard the exchange of credentials as a practical formality.

The first points to be considered were the determination of the official language or languages to be used, and then taking up the program to be followed each day. Russia prefers French and Japan, English.

Another point that must be decided in the event the negotiations proceed beyond the initial stage, is whether the military attaches shall participate with the plenipotentiaries in the conference, or whether they shall meet separately and draw up their reports and refer them to the plenipotentiaries for consideration. Should this latter plan be followed in the case of military attaches, the same program would be adopted for the financiers.

It is believed to be more than probable, however, that the attaches of the two missions will not only in advisory capacities to their respective chiefs.

It can be stated that up to the time of the meeting today the instructions of the four plenipotentiaries signed by their respective sovereigns, had not passed out of the hands of M. Witte and Baron Komura and Minister Takahira.

of Irving and Talcott avenues were referred to the Committee of the Whole. The petition of A. Brant to cut down two trees at Hawthorne and Webster streets was granted. A. G. Elco was also granted permission to cut down trees at 1870 Valdez street.

N. E. Ellis was granted permission to move a house from Fourth street between Clay and Washington streets, to Second street, between Brush and Castro streets.

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mla. American and French names are beginning to appear in the list of those stricken. The situation in Mississippi is not so favorable.

Suspicious sickness was reported at Holy Springs. The Southern Pacific has resumed its train service, which was interrupted by reason of the authorities of Calcasieu parish refusing permission to trains to pass through.

The trains, however, are screened and the crews changed when the limits of the parish are reached. The Southern Railway has discontinued its through service between Memphis and Washington.

Passenger traffic has been practically stagnated on the railroads entering the western section of Tennessee.

WATER BILLS ARE ORDERED PAID

The Board of Works and the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners this morning ordered the water bills from the first of the fiscal year paid, but reserved certain rights which the city claims. This is the same course followed last year after the temporary injunction in the United States Circuit Court was issued by Judge Gilbert.

The city in paying the bills maintains that the rate should be that fixed by the Council and not the rate which the city is now paying.

IMPORTANT MEETING OF TRINITY VESTRY TONIGHT.

There will be a meeting of the vestry of Trinity Episcopal Church, Twenty-ninth street and Telegraph avenue, this evening, at which, it has been announced, some important business will come up for consideration. The vestry, of which the rector, Rev. Clinton Mason, is ex-officio a member, comprises Messrs. Joseph Sanders, D. M. Doub, John Hampton, C. J. Jenks, Leo R. Well, L. J. Le Conte and Julian Mathien.

DRIVER IS INJURED.

A wagon owned by the Spaulding Dyeing Works of 514 Thirteenth street was run into by an electric car this morning, about 11:30 o'clock, on Eighth street near Castro. The wagon was overturned and the driver thrown out and it is said he sustained serious internal injuries. The wagon was partially demolished. No serious damage was done to the car.

Shortly after noon the envoys came out of the naval stores building, indicating that today's conference had ended.

Baron Komura and Minister Takahira appeared first and passed directly down the gravel path to the navy yard landing, where a launch was in waiting to take them to Newcastle. The Russian Commissioners followed the Japanese a moment later, taking a second launch for the trip to the hotel.

Upon their arrival there they entered by a private door, and entered the hotel before the fact of their return became generally known.

Within fifteen minutes after the missions returned, a correspondent of the Associated Press who was received by one of the plenipotentiaries, was given the following information:

MAKES STATEMENT.

"You can say that this morning's meeting was entirely satisfactory, so far as it went. We examined credentials, but please do not write nonsense about credentials. The plenipotentiaries and the President have known from the outset that the plenipotentiaries would come together with plenary powers, and the anxiety on this subject has been spared the envoys on either side.

"Our next meeting will be held tomorrow morning, provided all goes well we will get down to business then."

"Has either side committed itself about terms?" the envoy was asked.

"No, terms were not discussed at today's meeting."

It was agreed that the English and French languages should be used jointly, and that the official minutes of the meeting should be recorded in both languages.

Extreme cordiality characterized the session.

At this morning's meeting Baron Komura spoke Japanese to his secretary, Mr. Honda, who translated it into French, while M. Witte spoke entirely in French.

M. Mabakoff was charged with the writing of the minutes, protocol, as they call them. At tomorrow's meeting, besides M. Witte, Baron Komura and M. Mabakoff, there will be also present M. Jean Korostovitz and M. George Deplanco. Three secretaries not yet chosen will assist Baron Komura.

NEVER PROPERLY MARRIED

After living together for six years Henry Bleke and Elsie Becker of Fruitvale have discovered that they were never properly married and that at this late date they must go before the proper authorities and have a ceremony they overlooked performed. To them it appeared that when they were granted a license in 1899 that was all that was required and they went away and made a home for themselves under the supposition that the marriage knot had been securely fastened.

A short time ago, however, Bleke was left a small sum of money by a relative in Germany and in order to set up the proper proof of his heirship it became necessary for him to forward copies of his marriage certificate. The license which he had purchased and which had been kept for a number of years had been destroyed by a fire and this morning he went to the Hall of Records to get a copy of the papers. There was nothing in the County Recorder's office to show that he had ever been married and a visit was then paid to the County Clerk, where the record of the issuance to him of a license was found and he then acknowledged that was all that he had done in the matter.

A new license was issued to him and the ceremony will be performed as quickly as possible and the proofs sent on to the Fatherland.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

One of the coming events of interest to a large number of people is the whist tournament to be given Friday evening at St. Mary's Hall, Seventh and Grove streets.

The whist tournament is under the auspices of the Sacred Heart Booth for the benefit of St. Mary's Parish Bazaar. Playing to begin at 8 o'clock.

BICYCLES STOLEN.

Harry M. Platt reported to the Police this morning that he lost a bicycle from in front of 909 Broadway yesterday.

A Larkin, residing at 3320 Howe street, reported also a bicycle was stolen from him at the corner of Eleventh and Franklin streets.

NO STUDIO AT 1334 FRANKLIN.

Editor TRIBUNE—Dear Sir: In last Saturday's issue of one of our local papers a notice appeared to the effect that a "music studio" had been opened at 1364 Franklin street. Now 1364 Franklin street is the number of my residence, and no "studio" has been opened, nor will there be while I am in possession of the premises. Will you kindly give space to this statement of facts and oblige yours truly.

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STATE SOME REASONS FOR BOYCOTT

Former Chinese Minister to United States Tells of Government Objections.

PEKIN, August 9.—Wu Ting Fang, former Chinese minister at Washington, and now vice-president of the Chinese Board of Foreign Affairs, was interviewed this afternoon, in regard to the proposed new treaty with the United States. He said that the expiring convention was unsatisfactory from the Chinese standpoint, and hence they desired its revision.

The Chinese government agreed to the exclusion of coolies from the United States and this point presents no difficulty, but the existing regulations pressed hardly on other classes.

For instance, merchants, travelers, etc., while nominally admissible to the United States, are forced to undergo an examination, which, possibly is necessary, but which is generally rendered very objectionable on account of the manner of the enforcement of its regulations.

For example, a Chinese of the superior class arriving at San Francisco, was detained by the authorities while his credentials were being examined. This detention frequently involves his consorting with low class coolies in a common shed, and while unable to communicate with his friends, he is subjected to inconvenience and indignities to which the meanest American would refuse to submit.

Moreover the Chinese is not allowed to retain the services of any one to protect his interests and if the immigration decide adversely in his case there is no possibility of an appeal.

WELL FOUNDED.

That these grievances are well founded is demonstrated by the fact of President Roosevelt's stringent order that courtesy be shown the Chinese by the authorities under pain of dismissal. The President's action in the case of the King family practically admits the existence of real grievances. There are numberless instances, where even Americans have been forced to admit the harsh treatment of Chinese.

with directing the movement, but repudiated this. He remarked that it was unreasonable to expect China to be able to compel Chinese to purchase American goods, as to expect America to prevent the Chicago strikes. He regretted that so little progress had been made in the negotiations for a new convention.

He pointed out that the acceptance of China's wishes practically does not affect America as American labor in

Wu Ting Fang admitted that European immigrants were not allowed representation or appeal during their examination, but he claimed that the Chinese are treated entirely different from Europeans in other respects. He said China agreed to the exclusion of the coolies, but urged as the main points of her contention that the better class of Chinese be treated on an equal footing with other aliens; given the right to counsel, the right to appeal, and the admission of coolies to Hawaii and the Philippines does not come into competition with the Chinese, while facilities required for the entrance of superior Chinese immigration to the United States were admittedly just.

He suggested that the education test was the most effective means to prevent the ingress of coolies. This was an easy means of ascertaining the eligibility of other classes, besides eliminating the undesirable feature of class distinction.

REPUBLICAN LEAGUE IS THE VICTOR

Wins the Primary Election Over Ruff in San Francisco— The Returns.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—The primary election held yesterday to choose delegates to the various municipal nominating conventions was the most exciting event of the kind ever known in this city.

A majority of sixty-three delegates in the nominating convention.

The total vote was 38,968, divided as follows: Republican League, 16,193; regular Republican, 15,506; Democrats, 2,790; opposition Democrats, 645;

The issue was clean cut. It was an indorsement or condemnation of the administration of Mayor Schmitz, whose legal adviser and political manager is Abe Ruef. The result was a sweeping victory for the force of reform, represented by the Republican League, which according to the latest estimate will have a

100	Peahau	22%	Deh's cahta en blocks an hohns en
5	Mutual	13%	drums
5	Mutual	13%	
1000	United Railroads	91%	Foh askin' In Honey Town;
10	Water	3%	En a showeh ob cakes en sugar-plums
100	Alaska Packin' Association	39%	Curns tumblin' softy down.
200	United Railroads	91%	

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HONEY TOWN.

De skies am gray, mah ill brown chap.
 De fennel am damp wid dew;
 So come along to yo' gran'man's lap,
 Honey Town! Honey Town!
 Sleep Man's skiff am cummin' aroun';
 Make room for two ill foots so brown—
 Dea-ah-ah-ah to yo' gran'man!

De Sleep Man's waitin' foh yu.
His ol' skiff sail when de dream tides
flow.
Et glide wid neveh a soun';
He tuck yu in en away yu go.
To de gates ob Honey Town.

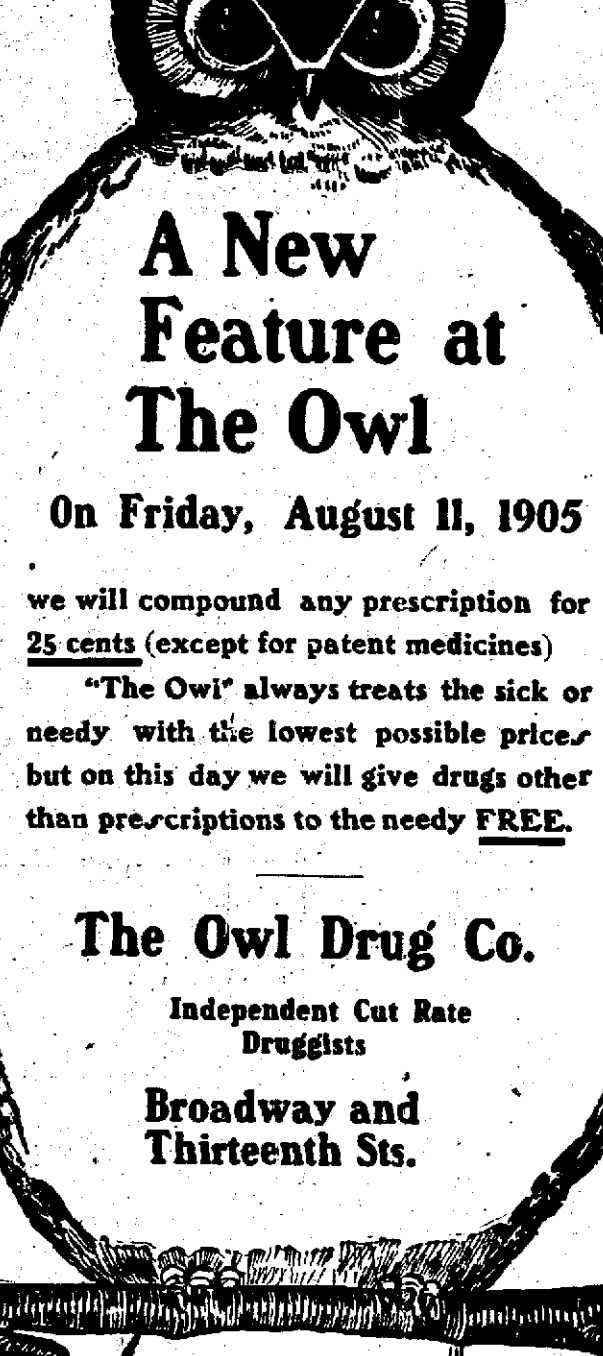
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Sleep Man's skiff am cummin' aroun'.
Mak room foh two ill foots so brown—
Den sail away to Honey Town.

It's a place whil good, ill tads may
roam
En capesh de whole night fro';
On de Sleep Man's skiff et brings yu

Den sail away to Honey Town!

WOMAN'S CHANCE TO MARRY.
Fifty to sixty years—One-quarter of
one per cent.
Forty-five to fifty—Three-eighths of
one per cent.
Forty to forty-five—Two and a half
per cent.
Thirty-five to forty-three and
three-fourths per cent.
Thirty to thirty-five—Fifteen and
one-half per cent.
Twenty-five to thirty—Eighteen per
cent.
Twenty to twenty-five—Fifty-two
per cent.
Fifteen to twenty—Fourteen and
half per cent.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

SUPREME TEST OF HONESTY.
A Kansas man, traveling in Italy,
finds that the Italians are more honest
in one respect than Americans. He



**A New
Feature at
The Owl**

On Friday, August 11, 1905

we will compound any prescription for
25 cents (except for patent medicines)

"The Owl" always treats the sick or
needy with the lowest possible prices
but on this day we will give drugs other
than prescriptions to the needy FREE.

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**PRELATE
DIES OF
FEVER**

**ADMISSION DAY AT
PORTLAND**

EXCURSION OF MERCHANTS' EX-
CHANGE TO TAKE PART
IN FESTIVITIES.

Monsignor Chappelle is Stricken by Dread Disease.

NEW ORLEANS, August 9.—Archbishop Chappelle, of the Catholic diocese of New Orleans, died this afternoon of yellow fever.

Monsignor Placide Louis Chappelle, the Roman Catholic Archbishop of New Orleans, is one of the most distinguished American prelates of his Church. It was he whom the Pope appointed Apostolic delegate to Cuba and Porto Rico on September 16, 1898.

when the reorganization of the church in the West Indies was decided upon. Born in France on August 28, 1842, the man who has become one of the great churchmen of the world came to the United States in 1859. He was ordained a priest in 1865. He followed missionary work until his removal to

After three years, the Archbishop of Baltimore resigned the archdiocese of Baltimore and Washington, where he held rectorships and became prominent as a theologian. In 1891 he was appointed Coadjutor Bishop to the Archbishop of Santa Fe, and when the latter resigned he became Archbishop. In 1894.

New Orleans, and it was in 1898 that he was honored by the appointment to act as the Pope's special representative in the Philippines.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were

issued by the County Clerk today	
Harry Blake, Fruitvale	47
Elsie Becker, Fruitvale	47
Norval A. Robinson, San Francisco	37
Helen Simmons, San Francisco	13
Thomas W. Hamby, Oakland	48
Caroline Partridge, Oakland	26
Charles W. Phillips, San Francisco	36

Monta E. Hansen, Emphurst	26
Clark P. Crawford, Oakland	30
Caroline Dolsbeck, Oakland	45

HIS MOTIVE.

"Father," said the young Tammany man, "I'm going to get out of politics

Supervisor Mitchell, Captain Freeman and family, Ernest Cotton and family, J. Landis, Charles L. Ingler and wife, John Martens, Philip Conrad, J. H. Dieckmann and others.

<p>AFTER-DINNER SPEAKING.</p>	<p>HIGH PRAISE.</p>
<p>"What ought a man to do to become an effective after-dinner speaker?"</p>	<p>"You're a perfect peach!" declared the young fellow.</p>
<p>said the ambitious youth.</p>	<p>"Do you really think so?" murmured the young girl.</p>
<p>"Well," answered Senator Sorghum,</p>	<p>"Yes, indeed. I don't believe any-</p>
<p>"the best way is to get a few anecdotes so that you won't have anything to do</p>	<p>body himself could surpass you."</p>
<p>second from a scrap-book." Washburn</p>	

BODIES OF MANY WOMEN ARE MISSING

Hundreds of Workers Searching Ruins of Department Store for Known Dead.

ALBANY, August 9.—A thorough search carried on since early morning has revealed the fact that all the men and all but one woman employed in the department store of the John C. Meyers Company, which collapsed yesterday, are accounted for.

About thirty cash boys out of seventy-five have not yet reported, but it is scarcely thought possible that they are in the buried ruins.

The facts lead to the belief that the number of deaths will prove considerably less than was feared. The dead found thus far number thirteen, and there is hope that not more than half a dozen bodies are still in the wreck.

ALBANY, N. Y., August 9.—This morning two hundred men were still toiling over the wreck of the John C. Meyers Company department store, where twenty-four hours ago occurred the saddest catastrophe in the history of old Albany.

Eleven dead bodies, many of them mangled beyond recognition, have been taken from the building, and one woman died at the hospital.

The known dead, which last night numbered twelve, has been more than doubled by the addition of the following: all employees: Mary McAvoy, died at hospital; Anna Cashman, Theresa Spahnauer, Etta Sprinks, Grace B. Erner, Helen Malone, John E. Powers, cashboy.

In addition to these it is almost certain that fifteen or twenty bodies still remain in the twisted mass of beams, wires, plaster, brick and lath that was once the main portion of one of the city's largest stores.

BODY OF GIRL.

A day's work by skilled hands from the wrecking crew of the New York Central and Delaware & Hudson railways has resulted in raising barely half the debris.

Shortly after daybreak the searchers found the twelfth body. It was Miss Helen Malone, a young girl who shared the cashier's gallery on the main floor with Anna Whitbeck, Minnie Bullman and Alice Sharp, and was crushed beneath the same girders that killed her three companions.

IN HOSPITALS.

The injured in the hospitals are doing well with two exceptions. Miss Ella Donahue, one of the first survivors to be taken out of the wreck, has her spine fractured and cannot live.

Mrs. Borst, of Windom, Minn., who was one of the few shoppers injured, is also reported to be in a critical condition. She has been visiting Mrs. Richard W. Brass, wife of a well known attorney.

The two women were out on an early shopping tour. Mrs. Brass was also injured, but though in the wreck several hours, was removed without serious wounds.

The only addition to the injured is Thomas Rogers, a fireman, who was painfully, though not seriously, bruised and cut while at the work of rescue.

FIFTY WOMEN MISSING.

It is thought scarcely possible that any of those now imprisoned in the

debris can be alive. Since midnight only disfigured corpses have been taken out. Fifty women employees are still missing and grave fears are expressed for the safety of the majority.

A large percentage of these in the central portion of the building which collapsed were women.

The number of men unaccounted for is absolutely unknown, as the loss of the firm's books makes a list of the male employees unobtainable.

WHO'S RESPONSIBLE?

The first shock of the horror is passed and the people of Albany have begun to ask who is responsible. Mayor Gaus, Chief of the Fire Department, and Commissioner Cantine, of the Department of Public Safety, believe that the accident was caused directly by workmen excavating beneath the basement of the store, who undermined one of the key brick piers in the center of the building, and their belief is generally shared. Mayor Gaus said today:

"Every guilty person will be prosecuted as soon as we have placed the responsibility for this disaster, which is the worst of its kind that has ever befallen the city. An investigation will be begun as soon as the work of rescue is over.

"The work under way when the building collapsed was in charge of Contractor John Dyer Jr. Of the thirty-one men employed by him on the building every one escaped.

"In view of the fact that nearly all of them were in or under the basement in the very center of the structure, their escape is almost miraculous."

Shortly after 10 o'clock the thirteenth body was found and identified as that of Miss Winifred Kelly, by her father, who had watched by the wreckage all night.

MANY CATHOLICS IN CONVENTION

WILKESBARRE, Pa., August 9.—Over eight hundred delegates to the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America assembled at St. Mary's today to attend pontifical high mass, celebrated by Bishop Hogan of Scranton. Bishop Canevin of Pittsburgh, the national president, presided. In responding to the address of welcome he spoke of the importance of the convention, owing to the coming of President Roosevelt and Cardinal Gibbons. Chancellor Turner of Philadelphia will read a brief from the Pope on temperance sent specially for the occasion at the solicitation of Archbishop Ryan, who is now in Europe, and the only brief of its kind ever sent to this country by the Pope.

HERE'S A CHANCE FOR THE GIRLS

Winfield Scott, photographer for the Mexican Central Railway at Oculan, Jalisco, Mexico, in a letter to Attorney Hugh Aldrich of this city, says:

"Dear Friend Aldrich: What can you do for me in the line of a fine aburnish short and plump female between 20 and 30 years? I want her for a wife. I have a most delightful home here, but need an American female companion. If you can make good I will come up. Yours truly, WINFIELD SCOTT."

You Just Can't Help It

It comes natural for you to admire such clothing as we sell. So many people say—"Why! I always come here to buy my clothing and also for my boys." Why, bless your hearts, it's the only sensible thing to do. You can't help it. It's natural—so don't try to fool with Nature. Just drift in here and back into one of our Suits—or send in your boy and we will guarantee you satisfaction or your money comes back.

BOYS CLOTHES ALL THIS WEEK.

C. J. Keeseman
1107 to 1113 WASHINGTON ST.
THE BOYS' CLOTHIER

WESTERN BANK IS CLOSED

Another Institution in Denver is Under Investigation.

DENVER, Colo., August 9.—The Western Bank, a State institution, failed to open this morning. A notice was posted announcing that Henry M. Beatty, assistant cashier of the bank, had been appointed assignee. G. W. Brown is president and W. T. Perkins cashier of the Western Bank.

No statement from the officers of the bank was forthcoming during the forenoon, but they announced that one would be made public later in the day.

According to the bank's statement, it had shrunk during the previous year from \$225,336 to \$16,466. The amount of deposits on July 1 was \$614,670 and the loans and discounts were \$493,983. The bank's capital is \$100,000 and its surplus \$10,000.

It is said that L. A. Imboden, one of the principal stockholders of the Denver Savings Bank on which the run is being made, recently acquired an interest in the Western Bank.

The run on the Denver Savings Bank, which began yesterday, was resumed today. There were about three hundred people in line when the bank opened at 10 o'clock. The bank continued paying 10 per cent of deposits. Vice-President P. H. Jones issued the following announcement:

"The public is assured on the honor of the management of this bank that there is absolutely no cause for uneasiness.

"The Denver Savings Bank has cash on hand to pay every cent due on commercial deposits and all that savings deposits call for up to the limit."

The Central Savings Bank is also experiencing a run, but it is paying all depositors in full on demand.

IT IS A GARDEN OF EDEN

SOUVENIR MAGAZINE GOTTEN OUT BY PUBLISHERS AT HAYWARDS.

The Hayward Review has just issued what is styled a "Souvenir Magazine of Haywards, Alameda County, Garden of Eden, being a frank, fair and accurate exposition, pictorially and otherwise of this magnificent section of California."

This is not, by any means, a short title for a volume, but there is not a superfluous word in it.

The publication comprises fifty pages of fine letterpress, upon enameled paper and these pages are studded with excellently executed and printed half-tone pictures and portraits showing the men who have built and are building up Haywards. The industries which are being maintained in the country around that prosperous town, the cozy homes in which the citizens are domiciled, acres of matchless variety and fertility which surround it, and which justify the title "Garden of Eden" which has been applied to that section of Alameda county.

The magazine has chapters on "Alameda County," the "San Francisco Boulevard," "Haywards and Its Attractions," "Fruit Industry and Its Profits," "Improved Orchard Homes near Haywards," "The Tourist and Sportsman," "Home and People of Small Means," "Butter and Cheese Making," "Haywards and Poultry," "Climate Conditions," "Haywards as a Summer Resort," "Vineyards and Wineries," "Rainfall and Temperature," "Absence of Knocks," together with descriptions of canneries, mercantile and manufacturing establishments and interesting biographies of the men who are inspired by patriotic devotion to their home town and locality and who are doing everything to bring to the attention of those who wish to live and work in a veritable terrestrial paradise.

There is no feature of social, economic, mercantile, pastoral or industrial life or energy which is not covered, and covered admirably in this publication. The articles are well-written, they are devoid of verbosity and vulgar boasting. Instead, they are plain, sensible, practical and readable. The work savors of metropolitanism and is the most ambitious and best publication of the kind which has ever originated in that section and cannot but be of incalculable value in advertising Haywards and vicinity wherever it may be circulated. It reflects credit upon the devotion and enterprise of Messrs. Smith & Beaman, the publishers, who are also publishers of the Review of that place, the only semi-weekly paper published in Alameda county.

NO STREET MEETINGS.

SAN DIEGO, August 9.—Under the terms of an ordinance adopted by the City Council there will in the future be a discontinuance of public meetings in the district bounded by Fourth and Sixth streets and south of B street. This takes as a the principal business streets, and effectively puts an end to all medicine fakers shows, revival and religious meetings and socialistic gatherings.

The ordinance provides that the assembling of ten or more persons shall constitute a crowd within the meaning of the ordinance. Violation of the ordinance is to be punished by a fine of not to exceed \$300 or imprisonment not to exceed 150 days, or both.

SMALL FIRES.

The fire department this morning responded to a fire alarm sent in from 1220 Webster street and extinguished a pile of burning rubbish. The house is occupied by W. L. White. A grass fire in the garden, yesterday afternoon by the department at the corner of Sixty-second and Telegraph avenue.

CAMPAIN TO HAVE CLEAN STREETS

Thousands of Volunteers are Working in the Streets of New Orleans to Clean City.

NEW ORLEANS, August 9.—A great street cleaning campaign was inaugurated here today and will continue until tonight. Besides the paid laborers of the city and the prisoners from the jails and houses of detention, thousands of volunteers took off their coats, rolled up their sleeves and went to work to give New Orleans a thorough scrubbing. Hundreds of carts and wagons were employed in carrying on the refuse.

STATE BOARD.

The State Board of Health was in receipt of advice from a number of parishes today notifying it of their disposition to modify quarantine regulations. A number of boards have conferred at Lafayette and decided not to interfere with the movement of passengers from non-infected points, and from infected points if they have served time in detention camps and been released by the marine hospital authorities. Full confidence was expressed in the marine hospital service. Additional appeals have come from the smaller towns for relief so that they may obtain food supplies and ice. Guyard, La., and Bogalusa, La., among the towns thus far complaining.

The latter is on the Texas border and because the quarantine has not had a train for seven days. Its supplies are nearly exhausted. Baton Rouge is guarding against possible outbreaks of the establishment of an isolation hospital. Governor Blanchard has received an appeal for assistance from Bon Ami, La., where two cases were reported. One has died and the other is moribund. There are 1200 people in the settlement and only one doctor.

FOREIGN IMMIGRATION.

All foreign immigration into New Orleans is to be stopped until after the fever is stamped out. Large numbers of Italian immigrants expected here in September and October will be diverted to other ports unless by that time there is no longer trace of the disease here.

Dr. White and his staff are actually organizing a fine force of labor assistants. No grafting is to be tolerated and the are to be truly used in the mass of those who do not come fully up to the requirements of the service.

COLORING PEOPLE.

A large meeting of representatives of colored people has been addressed by leading physicians of the city and an address has been issued to the colored race, urging them to observe the sanitary measures that are put forth by the authorities. Though the large number of new cases announced during the past twenty-four hours had a discouraging effect, the reason given that many of them were cases left over from the day before, the investigation was accepted as promising fewer cases today. The fact that the colored race has more than for some days past encouraged the belief that many of the cases lately reported are not of the violent type which has played havoc in the ranks of the ignorant Italian population.

GUESTS OF HOTEL ARE ROBBED

Burglars Get Away With \$200 at the Crellin During Night.

T. C. Woods and H. C. Schwartz, guests at the Hotel Crellin, reported to police headquarters this morning that their rooms had been entered last night and \$200 worth of jewelry and money stolen. The night watchman and the porter became aware of the operations of the thief and made an immediate investigation.

The two men found a water faucet running and assumed this was the disturbance which attracted their attention. In the meantime the thief cleverly evaded those looking for him and got away with \$1 belonging to Woods and \$80, a diamond ring, an opal stud and several foreign coins belonging to Schwartz.

J. E. Jordan, the clerk, was informed by the two guests who were robbed of the occurrence and a request was made to police headquarters for the services of two detectives. Chief of Police Hodgkins retained Detectives Holland and Quigley on the case. From the appearance of the job it is assumed that the theft was committed by a professional "room worker."

WILL GIVE PLAY AT UPPER FRUITVALE

"Mayanai," a new play will be presented at Upper Fruitvale Hall tomorrow evening, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church of Diamond.

This play has unusual attractions, and all the performers have been carefully drilled by Miss C. M. Archibald, teacher of elocution.

The following is the program:

Forest scene (opening with storm). ACT I.

Forest scene. ACT II.

Throne room. ACT III.

Rededication. "Always in the Way" by Nellie Reed and Daisy Vogel.

Stories from the Bible. Alice McDonald, Vivian Henry, Alice Coppes and Alice Clark.

Song—"When the Sunset Turns to Gold." Ruth McDonald and Raymond Lunday.

Recitation. TABLEAU by Queen.

Whistling solo. Miss J. Lundy.

Solo. "The Man in the Moon." Miss Archibald. (Accompanied, Miss Lundy).

The cast is as follows:

Prince of Persia. Raymond Lunday. Carobel, favorite of the Prince. Alice Clark.

Rose. Vivian Henry. Poppy. Alice Coppes. Violet. Molly Jasper.

Daisy. Alice McDonald. Guard. Willie Reed.

March Spirit. Bert McDonald. Air Spirit. Ruth McDonald.

Water Spirit. Alice Coppes. Mayanai, a mortal maiden, afterwards adopted by the Fairies. Virtue Reed.

FOLLOWERS.

Nellie Reed, Daisy Vogel, Violet Reed, Freda Pittman, Virginia Richardson.

ROOSEVELT TO MAKE ADDRESS

OYSTER BAY, August 9.—President Roosevelt will leave at 8 a. m. tomorrow for Wilkesbarre, where he will deliver an address to the United Mine Workers and the members of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union. At 5 p. m. he will leave Wilkesbarre for Chautauqua, N. Y., where on Friday morning he will address the Chautauqua assembly. He will leave Chautauqua at noon and be scheduled to arrive in Oyster Bay Saturday morning. The President will be accompanied on the trip by Acting Secretary Benjamin Barnes, Dr. Stokes of the navy, representatives of the press associations, secret service officers and messengers.

CHARGE AGAINST MINISTER

CHARLES BENEDICT ACCUSED OF EXTORTION—SHIELDS CAUSE IT.

The preliminary examination of Charles Benedict, a Christian Science minister, on a charge of extortion, preferred by John B. Guest, a manufacturer of corset shields, was set by Police Judge Smith this morning for August 22.

Benedict and Guest were formerly engaged in business together. Benedict sold his interest in the business to Guest, who is alleged subsequently to have threatened to sell the interest connected with the manufacture of the shields to an Eastern firm.

The threat to sell the secret was accompanied by a demand for \$155. Benedict has secured the services of Attorney Ben Woolner to defend him on the felony charge.

"I have receipts in full to show that I am the sole owner of the right to manufacture the corset shields," says Guest. "Benedict now attempts in a letter to claim an interest in the business and extort \$155 from me."

The following is the letter: "John B. Guest—Dear Sir: I have an opportunity of connecting my knowledge of making these shields with a large company in the East, who are making ladies' underwear, and whose goods are now sold everywhere. There are persons of getting hold of a good shield. I have no idea of going into the business myself, but to furnish my name and patterns. This company have a representation on the coast who have been desirous of making an arrangement with me. These goods would be made in the East and put upon the market at 50 cents, both plain and ventilated. I am not now aware of getting the rubbers and do not know that they have any right to make them without yours or my consent. This I have always kept to myself, thinking no good would come by telling any one the shields were not protected from infringements. I think it would be only just to you to say that if you will pay me the difference between what you did pay me and \$500, the amount you agreed to pay me, which is \$165, and interest on it from December 3, 1903, to the present time at 10 per cent, then I will not in any way interfere with your present prosperous outlook. I will give you an opportunity to take advantage of this proposition any time during the present week."

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Nothing of an unpleasant nature, however, occurred, as nothing but curiosity to see the boys about whom so much

otherwise it will be withdrawn. Very respectfully yours, "CHARLES BENEDICT."

WOMAN'S WANTS.

(According to a popular poet all that a woman wants is love.—News Item.) All she desires is love, you say?

That shows how much you know; She wants to see the matinee

And to the circus go.

She wants a handsome diamond ring.

She wants a rope of pearls;

She wants a poodle on a string.

She wants some extra curls.

She wants a bonnet twice a year.

She wants an Easter hat;

She wants to read her title clear

Unto a stylish flat;

She wants a four-seat motor car

She wants a real Worth gown;

She wants a trip to Europe, or

At least to Newport town;

She wants a cask of rare cologne

She wants a diamond pin;

She wants a carriage of her own

To go out calling in;

She wants the earth, the Milky Way,

And half the stars above,

And yet you have the nerve to say—

That all she wants is love!

—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A BUSINESS BETTER.

"I charge," said the caddy, "\$5 cents around."

"That's high, isn't it?"

"About double."

"But what right have you," said the golfer, "to charge double?"

"On account of me equipment," said the boy, "do you see this here spycam?"

"I'll charge you a good spycam."

"I'll charge you a good spycam, cost \$100, and with it I can locate every ball, I follow

ABRAHAMSON'S

OAKLAND'S MOST POPULAR STORE

August Drive Sale

WITHOUT AN EQUAL

This August Drive Sale is offering many tempting specials—Every item persented during this sale is a decisive cut in price and a saving to every wide awake buyer.

Bargain Magnet No. 19
Robina Satin Stripe Batiste: actual 25c value; August Drive Saleyd 12½c

Bargain Magnet No. 20
Large assortment figured lawn: values to 15c; August Drive Saleyd 7½c

Bargain Magnet No. 21
Just received advance fall styles in Misses' jackets that will be sold during August Drive Sale from 5.00 to 10.00

Bargain Magnet No. 22
Prior to school opening we are going to allow 25 per cent discount on all children's dresses. This is a saving you can not afford to overlook. Discount only holds good during August Drive Sale.

Bargain Magnet No. 23
Children's and Misses' School Hats, variety of styles to select from during August Drive Sale, each 33c

Bargain Magnet No. 24
"Our Leader" children's extra value school hose, positively fast black, triple knee, double heel toe and sole; an actual 25c value. August Drive SalePair 12½c

Bargain Magnet No. 25
3000 yds. all Silk Taffeta, all colors, plain and glace; 75c quality; August Drive Saleyd 59c

Bargain Magnet No. 26
40 inch Mohair, best staple shades; best 50c goods; August Drive Saleyd 39c

Bargain Magnet No. 27
Imitation Burnt Work Center Pieces, tinted and corded; the very newest novelty, 27 inches; August Drive Sale35c

Bargain Magnet No. 28
500 yds. of fine quality Point de France, from 2 to 4 inches wide, in new patterns. This is a good wash lace suitable for trimming dresses, underwear, etc.; August Drive Sale9c

ACCUSED BOY BANDITS ARE ARRAIGNED

Hearing of Murder Charge Against Three Youths Set by Justice Geary.

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every shot with the spycam. I watch where the ball drops, and I take the bearing of the place. The result of that is that no player ever loses a ball when I caddy for him.

"Here's testimonials, three dozen, and they all say that with me and my spycam caddy'n' no balls ain't ever lost. They all say, on account of the mavin' in lost balls. I, with me double charge, am still the cheapest caddy around the club."

—Philadelphia Bulletin.

NO CRAFT HERE.

A New Hampshire man draws the magnificent salary of a quarter of a cent a year for carrying the mail six times a week between his town and the railroad station seven and a half miles distant. He took the contract at that figure to secure prestige for his passenger conveyance. It looks like he ought to be sure of his job.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

SURE THING FOR SHAW.

If Mr. Shaw can make his boom grow as fast as the Treasury deficit grows, he will have a cinch on the Presidential nomination.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Their phlegm action and good effect on the system really make them a perfect cure. They please those who use them. Carter's Little Liver Pills may well be termed "Perfection."

YOUR EYES

Receive my Personal Attention.

Glases fitted with the Patent

ROBBERS BEAT A GUEST

Thief is Captured After a Lively Chase Through Streets.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—Sidney A. Busenbark, a rancher from the interior, and a recent arrival in this city, was held up, beaten and robbed, at the entrance of his room in the Aurora House, 605 Folsom street, shortly after 5 o'clock this morning. Attracted by the cries of the robbers' victim, the proprietor of the house hastened to his assistance. The robbers passed him in the hallway, but he pluckily gave chase, and after a run of half a block, captured one of the thugs. He was identified as Mike Barrett, a dishwasher employed in the house, and was turned over to Policeman Quinlan, who booked him at the Southern Police Station for robbery.

Busenbark heard a noise at the entrance of his room early this morning, and after partially dressing himself, stepped out of the door to investigate. He was dealt a stunning blow in the face, which knocked out several of his teeth, and his assailants continued to beat him until he fell unconscious at their feet. They relieved him of \$23 in cash and two watches, and then started to run down the hallway.

The proprietor of the house was the first to hear the loud cries for help, and lost no time in going to his guest's assistance. The robbers passed him in the hallway, and he attempted to stop them there, but they managed to get away from him. Down the hallway and out into the street he followed. One of the robbers was fleet of foot and soon disappeared, but his companion was not so good at sprinting and his pursuer soon overtook him. He took him back to the office of the hotel, recovered the two stolen watches which he had concealed in his pocket, and then turned him over to the policeman.

Barrett refuses to tell who his accomplice was, but Detectives Regan and O'Connell have been detailed on the case, and believe they know the man.

CHIEF HAMMELL RESIGNS

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 9.—Chief of Police W. A. Hammell tendered his resignation to the Board of Police Commissioners today, to take effect September 1. Chief Hammell gave no reason for his resignation, but is generally understood to result from friction between the commission and the head of the police department.

FAST AUTOS ARE IN A COLLISION

DETROIT, August 9.—Barney Oldfield and Dan Wurgis collided in three-quarter stretch during the first heat of the five mile this afternoon at the Grosbe Point Automobile races, and both machines went through the fence. Oldfield sustained severe scalp wounds and a badly cut arm. Surgeons who made a hasty examination said that his injuries were not fatal. Wurgis escaped uninjured.

SALARY WARRANTS FOR JUSTICES

SAN JOSE, Cal., Aug. 9.—County Auditor Parker, upon securing additional legal advice, this morning issued salary warrants to the local justices of the peace and constables in compliance with the recent decision of the third Appellate Court.

TRAINING SCHOOL AT INFIRMARY

SAN JOSE, August 9.—The Board of Supervisors today adopted a resolution to institute a training school for nurses at the County Infirmary and to obtain a charter from the State that will authorize the school to issue diplomas to graduates.

FIRE ON STEAMER.

BOSTON, Mass., August 9.—The steamer Kershaw, which arrived today from Baltimore, reported that a fire broke out during the trip, but it was extinguished after five hours hard work by the crew.

The damage to the cargo, which consisted mainly of cotton, tobacco and lumber, was heavy. There was no panic.

HILL'S SON CHOSEN.

NEW YORK, August 9.—J. N. Hill, son of J. J. Hill, has been elected vice-president of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, to succeed the late Daniel S. Lamont.

SIR HARRY WINS A POINT

He Can Have a Speedy Trial in the Superior Court.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—Sir Harry Westwood Cooper, alias Ernest Moore Chadwick, has gained his point in securing a speedy trial. Judge Cook decided this morning that the District Attorney had not made a sufficient showing upon which to base an indefinite continuance and has set the trial of the case down for August 22d.

Norine Kelly, who was Norine Schneider, and upon whom Sir Harry worked a forged telegram in order to secure her consent to a marriage, will be forced to make a deposition in the case. District Attorney Byington stated that owing to the fact that she was in a delicate condition it would be dangerous to bring her into court, and Judge Cook directed that her deposition be taken in the District Attorney's office.

In the event of her being unable to come to San Francisco a commission will be granted to Superior Judge Doelling of Hollister, to take the deposition.

TO PROTECT THE TRAINS

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 9.—The State Board of Health today, by resolution, called on Governor Blanchard for troops to protect trains and traffic from local quarantines which have cut lines and canals in two.

GIRL'S ROOM IS ROBBED

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—Burglars entered the rooms of Millie Callinan, 220 Ashbury street, some time during last night and stole a pearl pin valued at \$25. The girl believes that the thieves gained entrance with a skeleton key. Captain Burnett has detailed detectives to search for thieves and stolen jewelry.

NO MORE THEATER TRAINS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—The changes in the time table of the California Northwestern went into effect today, when all the theater trains were taken off and also two trains each way during the middle of the day.

Another change went into effect when the double force for the handling of tickets at the ferry was substituted for a single set of men. Both ticket offices and waiting rooms will be kept, but one force will sell tickets at both offices. This can be done, as the boats do not start at the same time. The men simply shift from one office to another as their services are required.

The same plan will be followed at the freight office. One shift of men will do the work that it took two sets of men to perform.

SAYS DOCTOR SOLICITED BRIBE

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—Dr. George Farmer today told the State Dental Commission that Dr. Dunn had solicited a bribe of \$250 from him, for which the doctor thought Farmer would be able to secure a license to practice dentistry in the city, even if he found the examination hard for him.

FORTY NEW CASES OF YELLOW FEVER

NEW ORLEANS, August 9.—Up to three o'clock there had been four deaths from yellow fever. New cases forty. This is the result of investigation of suspicious cases.

AGED ENGINEER DIES.

DICKINSON, N. D., August 9.—Jared C. Thompson, at whose home Marshall, Mich., the brotherhood of locomotive engineers had its birth, died here, aged 78 years.

STRIKE SPREADS.

NEW YORK, August 9.—The strike of bread bakers in the Hebrew quarter today spread to Brooklyn, where a union of 180 bakers quit work.

NO YELLOW FEVER.

JACKSON, Mass., August 9.—The State board of health announced today that there is not a case of yellow fever in the State and the belief is now entertained that with a daily improvement of the New Orleans situation there soon will be a relaxation of local quarantine.

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STRUCK DOWN BY FOOTPAD

Workman Declares He Was Robbed Across the Bay.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—A serious charge is made by Mrs. A. Parr of 112 Jones street, who asserts that she was an eye-witness in the early morning to a brutal assault upon William Moe, a carpenter, living at 418 Ivy Avenue. At the time Mrs. Parr was standing at a window of her dwelling, while the assault, followed by robbery, occurred on the sidewalk directly underneath. It was her shouts that caused the footpad to flee.

A few hours after the crime she reported the incident to the City Hall Police Station. Detective J. E. Cottle was detailed to investigate, but so far no report has been made to headquarters. Policeman Cornelius found Moe, still unconscious, at 4 o'clock Sunday morning. The injured man was treated by Dr. Pinkham at the Central Emergency Hospital, where he made the first charge that he had been robbed.

No heed was made to his complaint then, but he was hurried to the police station, where he was charged with being drunk. It was not until Mrs. Parr added her testimony to that of Moe that the police decided to act. Moe received a wound under the left eye which the surgeon says was caused by a blunt instrument.

Moe's recollection of the assault is in some degree hazy. At noon Saturday he was paid \$18 by his employers. With the money in his pocket he visited several saloons on O'Farrell street and was much under the influence of liquor when he started for his home. He does not recall having been struck, but he is sure he had a watch and \$11 in his pocket when he started for home.

Mrs. Parr was awakened by an alarm of fire about 3 o'clock. She did not return to bed until the fire was extinguished, and was still awake when the noise of angry voices under the window caused her to again arise. As she did so the voices suddenly stopped.

"I saw a man standing over the prostrate form of another going through his pockets," Mrs. Parr told Corporal McGee. "This man appeared to wear the uniform of a policeman. I could not see his face, but when I called out he ran away."

Some moments later, Mrs. Parr also declared two other men went through the clothing of the unconscious man. These men are believed to be sneak thieves who had nothing to do with the original robbery. They were also frightened away, and then Policeman Cornelius arrived.

"I am sure I had my watch and \$11 in my pocket when I left the saloon on O'Farrell street, between Mason and Taylor. I cannot recall what happened afterward, but I am satisfied that I was robbed, but I cannot say by whom."

HIGHWAYMAN IS NOT SENTENCED

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—Jas. E. Fitzpatrick, the "social highwayman," was not sentenced for burglary when his case was called before Superior Judge Cook this morning. Attorney Grady stated that the wife of the convicted man was in delicate health, and he believed that if sentence was passed at this time it might result in her death. He urged further on behalf of his motion for a continuance that his client will be called to answer a second charge in the Police Court on Friday, and he believed that the matter of passing sentence should go over until this charge is disposed of. Judge Cook granted a continuance until August 18.

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The terminus of the main line is to be on Illinois street, near Army, from which point it is to extend southerly to the county line, striking it near the ocean shore, and also extending from Eleventh avenue and C street westerly and southerly to connect with the main line near the northwesterly corner of Lake Merced.

"Canadian justice," says a contemporary reflecting on the Greele-Gay nor case, "is sound at the core." For a long time, though it looked as if Canadian justice, like the boy's apple, didn't have no core."—Minneapolis Journal.

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STRIPED BASS ARE SEIZED

SACRAMENTO, Cal., August 9.—County Game Warden Geo. Neale this morning confiscated a ton of striped bass shipped from Black Diamond on the Sacramento river to this city. The fish were seized by the game warden because they were under the minimum size required by law. The seizure was made early this morning, and the fish were distributed by the game warden to the orphan asylum and county jail. The shippers will be arrested.

RICH MAN'S SON IS A FORGER

He is Held in San Francisco For Cashing Check For \$100.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—Max L. Waerber, skilled architect and draughtsman, and son of Rudolph Waerber, a leading banker of Zurich, Switzerland, is held in detention at the city prison, and will be booked on a charge of forgery.

He is accused of having signed the name of his employer, H. Barth, to a check for \$100 on the Scandinavian-American Bank, which he subsequently cashed.

Young Waerber has been in San Francisco about a year, and during his residence here had been employed in the office of H. Barth, the architect, at 510 Montgomery street. He is a skilled architect, but his love for the night life led to trouble with his employer, and before his discharge on Friday last he opened Mr. Barth's desk and forged his name to a check on the Scandinavian-American Bank for \$100. The forgery was not discovered by Mr. Barth until the check was presented to the bank for payment yesterday, and he at once notified the police.

After the commission of the forgery, Waerber tendered the check in payment for his board bill to Charles H. Blom, a Rose P. Turner who conducts the Concord House at 935 Hyde street. Miss Turner cashed the check, giving Waerber \$48 in cash, and a receipted bill for \$52. This was on Saturday, and was after banking hours, and he bade his landlady good by, telling her that he was going to return to his parents in Switzerland.

When Detective Bunker arrested Waerber this morning he stated that he was waiting a telegraph money order from his uncle who is a wealthy manufacturer in New York. He knew that funds would be given him on his request. He had asked for \$150, and when this came, if he had not been arrested, he would have taken an evening train for the East. He stated this morning that his relatives would make good the amount of the Barth check, and he was certain that there would be no prosecution. In his pocket were two letters, one addressed to his father, in which he told of his intention of going to Dutch Guiana, where there are relatives of the family, and another addressed to Mr. Ernest Butts of the First National Bank in Wallenburg, Colo. The letter to the father was inclosed with the one to Butts, who he says is a close friend of his, and to whom he had given directions about remitting his father's letter. In his communication to Butts he said that he had got into trouble and hoped that it would be a lifelong lesson to him.

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THE LAND OF PHANTASY.

It was the land of phantasy, where it is always May,
The long, long twilight lingered, and the golden air was sweet;
In swelling hill and rolling moor the pale dream country lay,
With a winding road across the downs to tempt our wandering feet.

We gathered blossoms all the way;
Strange, magic blooms grew there.
The shining flowers of happiness, and honeyed buds of bliss;
You twined wild garlands through your curls, and on your bosom fair
You wore the red, red rose of love, with petals like a kiss.

Scarce any murmur broke the hush in that still land of dreams,
Perhaps a whisper of the wind, or note of nestled bird,
And far away the bubbling breath of distant gushing streams,
But not the sound of human voice, or any spoken word.

There was no need of spoken word as hand-in-hand we went,
For each heart beat the measure full of perfect harmony;
Our eyes on one another looked with silent, deep content,
We did not question what had been, nor what was yet to be.

A charmed spell the spirit held through those enchanted hours,
The dim past faded like smoke, and time was swept away;
We sought no boon of future joy, eternity was ours—
This was the land of phantasy, where it is always May.

Phoebe Lyde, in May Lippincott's Magazine.

DAINTY WAY TO SERVE PEACHES

To prepare peaches for dessert, select freestones, drop them in boiling water for two minutes, then in ice water, slip the skins, divide the peaches and take out the stones, chill thoroughly and fill the cavities with powdered sugar, join the halves and lay on a flat dish. Serve with cream.—August Housekeeper.

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DAMAGES FOR LOSS OF A WIFE

Charles N. Watson Files Suit Against Lawrence Van Winkle.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 9.—Charles N. Watson places his wife's affection as worth \$25,000 and claims to have been robbed of it by Lawrence Van Winkle. He began suit today in the Superior Court for this amount, alleging that Van Winkle had alienated his wife.

In his complaint Watson states that he married Jessie May Moore on August 23, 1893, in Santa Rosa, and went to live at Watson's ranch, that on numerous occasions, particularly on the 24th and 25th of October, 1904, the defendant "wrongfully and wickedly, and without the knowledge of plaintiff, debauched and seduced Jessie May Watson, then and ever since wife of the plaintiff," that her affections were alienated since August 24, 1904. Watson therefore asks damages in the amount stated.

DIED

BENSON.—In Stockton, August 8, at St. Joseph's Home, Benjamin, dearly beloved husband of the late Fanny Benson, devoted father of Augustine, Benjamin and Elmer M. Augustine of the Order of St. Dominic, a native of Sweden.
LOWENTHAL.—In Santa Rosa, August 8, Hymus H., dearly beloved husband of Jennie Lowenthal, father of Gertrude, Rosalie, Miriam and Frank Lowenthal and brother of Mrs. Marcus Wolf and Mrs. Clara Jacobs, a native of New York.

FLETCHER.—In Bernardsville, N. J., Andrew Fletcher, beloved father of Andrew, Harry N. and Adelaide Fletcher and Mrs. Alexander F. Pollock, a native of New York City.

LACOSTE.—In San Jose, August 7, Emma, beloved wife of Theophile Lacoste, a native of San Jose, aged 23 years 8 months and 21 days.

FOSTER.—At Livermore, August 8, Captain Edward Foster, aged 76 years.

MCPIE.—At Pleasanton, August 8, John C., husband of Mary McPhee, a native of Prince Edward Island, Canada, aged 60 years.

TAMM.—At German Althenheim, Fruitvale, August 8, 1905, John Traugott, beloved husband of Frederick Tamm and father of Ernest F. and Henry Tamm, Mrs. Gretchen Kappeler and Mrs. Daisy Hobel, a native of Germany, aged 86 years 27 days.

HAWTHORNE.—In San Francisco, Aug. 7, 1905, Francis A., beloved father of James A. and Lillian Hawthorne, a native of Michigan, aged 47 years. A member of Oakland Tent of Macabees, No. 17, and a member of Local 871, Material Teamsters.

FARMER.—In this city, August 8, 1905, John Farmer, a member of Brooklyn Rebekah Lodge, No. 12, I. O. O. F., a native of Scotland.

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MISS A. E. WEST has moved her dress-making parlors from 1109 Alce st. to 372 Telegraph ave.; Phone Clay 897. n

COMPETENT woman wants situation for general housework; wages \$25. Box 251 Tribune. n

SITUATION wanted as second maid by Scandinavian; experienced; wages \$30. 1122 East 22d st., East Oakland. n

UNFURNISHED 3 rooms for housekeeping; adults. 859 Harrison st. 1

YOUNG girl wants to assist in light housework. Call 64 Spring st., Eastmont. n

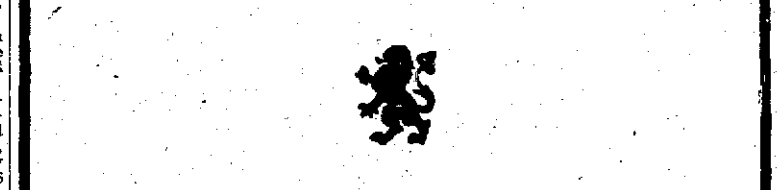
DANISH girl wants situation general housework; kindly write 64 Spring st., Piedmont. n

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EDWARD REVIEWS FLEETS

Goes on Board a French
Warship for
Luncheon.

PORTSMOUTH, England, August 9.—King Edward celebrated the anniversary of his coronation by reviewing the combined French and British fleets aggregation, some seventy ships. As a spectacle the event was somewhat marred by gloomy and showery weather, but the enthusiasm of the crowds was undiminished. Enormous masses of the people thronged both shores and there was a fleet of excursion boats filled to their capacity.

The royal yacht, the *Albert*, weighed anchor at 10:30 o'clock, and followed by a few privileged yachts, slowly passed down the lines of the fleets as King Edward approached the French and British flagships the firing of a royal salute commenced, and the entire combined fleets joined in a salute of 101 guns.

His Majesty, wearing the uniform of an admiral, stood at one end of the bridge of the royal yacht. All the ships were dressed and manned and their bands played "God Save the King."

The review lasted an hour and then the *Victoria* and *Albert* returned to her moorings. Later the King proceeded to the battleship *Magenta*, the French flagship, where he was the guest of Vice Admiral Callard at luncheon. The Prince of Wales and the Duke of Connaught accompanied His Majesty. The French fleet then weighed anchor and entered Portsmouth Harbor.

ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVES ARE COMPLETED

LOS ANGELES, August 9.—Two huge Mogul electric locomotives have just been completed in the shops of the Los Angeles Pacific Railway. Each machine is capable of pulling at full speed ten passenger coaches of steam road size. It is intended to put these new locomotives into service for freight hauling over the standard gauge divisions of the Los Angeles Pacific, and also to handle the passenger traffic which this electric road is planning to take from and deliver to the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific at Inglewood and Sunset stations, respectively, for Venice and Playa del Rey.

In this way the company expects to make ample provision for passenger traffic on exceptionally heavy days at this resort. At both of the stations steam trains will be switched to the tracks of the electric railway company, coupled to electric locomotives and hauled down to Venice and returned by the same route. In this way it will be possible to handle 100,000 persons to and from Venice daily.

THIRD ATTEMPT TO KIDNAP BOY

SANTA FE, N. M., August 9.—The third attempt in recent months to kidnap Miguel A. Otero, son of Governor Otero of New Mexico, has been defeated by the temporary absence of the boy from the summer home of Mrs. W. B. Childers, where he had been a guest. Six heavily armed men rode up to the Childers' cottage on the upper Pecos river yesterday and demanded the boy. Mrs. Childers, who was alone with the servants, informed the men that young Otero was not on the premises, but they searched the buildings and then rode away. The boy was with his uncle on a fishing trip at the time. Deputy Sheriff Charles Closson and a posse were immediately sent to the camp in the mountains where the boy was staying and returned here with him, closely guarding against a surprise by the would-be kidnapers while en route. While at the camp they learned that members of the band had been to the camp, but young Otero was away fishing and thereby escaped them. It is believed the leader of the band is an ex-convict lately pardoned by Governor Otero.

He was recently seen talking to other ex-convicts and was heard to remark: "If we can only get the boy into the mountains the old man will pay a princely ransom for his recovery."

WILL TRY TO SWIM CHANNEL

DOVER, England, August 9.—T. W. Burgess started this morning from the coastguard station at Liddon, four miles northwest of this port in an attempt to swim across the channel. After being six hours in the water, he was about twelve miles out and was going strong.

WANTS DAMAGES FROM RAILROADS

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—The suit of C. A. Sessions against the Southern Pacific Company, for \$20,000 damages for the death of his father, in a wreck at Byron in 1903, is on trial in the United States Circuit Court.

WILL MAKE ADDRESS.
Dr. Grammer will address the People's Mission at 508 Telegraph avenue on "Science of Life" this evening. All are invited to attend.

PETITION REPEAL OF ORDINANCE

Representative of Social-
ist Party Before
City Council.

The Socialist party, represented by W. B. Holloway, last night petitioned that the City Council repeal ordinance No. 1835 which prohibits speaking on the streets within the fire limits without a permit. The Council immediately resolved itself into a committee of the whole and he and the speaker had to say.

"I come here to speak for the Socialist party. When it is considered that we cast 2,000 votes at the last election I think that it behooves this Council to pay attention to the request we make. We have here a petition signed by 1,400 persons who believe that free speech should not be trampled. There are many other Socialists who have signed the petition and do not take the side of the Mayor in this controversy.

"The ordinance is objectionable on three grounds. It makes discrimination possible, it is being enforced in a discriminating way, and it is unpopular. It is shown by the failure of the juries in the police court to convict the speakers arrested. If it was a popular measure there would have been convictions in every case. On the ground that it is onerous and is discriminating we ask that it be repealed.

"When we were informed by the Mayor that our permit from Mayor Olney had been revoked, we applied for another one but were discourteously told that we could not have one.

Councilman Elliott—Do you say that Mayor Mott refused you a permit and acted discourteously?

Holloway—I have made a sworn affidavit to that effect.

Elliott—Is it not a fact that you were offered a permit by Mayor Mott to speak two nights a week on the street?

Holloway—Well, yes, after Mayor Mott had been forced to it.

Elliott—Is it not a fact that you refused the permit with scorn?

Holloway—Well the ordinance is discriminating and that is what we object to.

The matter was then referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee and the Socialists invited, if they wished, to draw up a new ordinance.

EITHER DEATH OR MARRIAGE

PRETTY ACTRESS, ALREADY A
WIFE, FORCED TO WED
ANOTHER MAN.

DENVER, August 9.—"You will either go back to Pueblo with me as my wife or I will kill you. No woman can play with me. Come or I will kill you."

So Walter N. Keese, a prominent physician of Pueblo, is said to have addressed Mrs. Charles J. Burkhardt, Lola Carpenter or Mrs. Walter N. Keese, whom he had married only to lead her the wife of another whose love she preferred. Kicking, fighting, and screaming, the pretty young actress was carried to a back and rapidly driven to the Union Station, where she and the doctor boarded a train this morning for Pueblo.

Burkhardt aided in her enforced removal to the station. He says he will file divorce proceedings, charging desertion.

While the Burkhardts were playing in a summer stock company in Pueblo, Mrs. Burkhardt was under the care of Keese and the two became close friends. When Mrs. Burkhardt went to the doctor to pay her bill, she says, the physician had engaged the services of a Justice of the Peace and two witnesses and forced her into a marriage she did not desire. She joined her husband in Denver, telling Doctor Keese she would join him later. The physician followed her and finding her in the company of another man became wild with rage.

The woman was a member of the first sextet of the New York "Floradora" Company and an intimate friend of "Nan" Patterson. She is a beautiful girl of 24. Dr. Keese is 27 years old. Burkhardt says he is resigned to the loss of his wife.

Garnet Ferguson profited well over the victory of his horse Military Max at odds of 20 to 1.

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BOUNDARY LINE DISCUSSED

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY RES-
IDENTS WANT A CHANGE
MADE.

At the meeting of the Merchants' Exchange last night a committee of two citizens from Contra Costa county, consisting of H. Brockhurst and R. E. Roland, presented a plea for assistance in obtaining a change in the boundary line between Contra Costa and Alameda counties. The two gentlemen are residents of the southern end of the county and own considerable land adjoining Alameda county. They stated in their remarks before the committee that the roads on their side of the line were in a deplorable condition and numerous petitions to the County Supervisors that the roads be put in proper condition had failed of any result. They also stated that the product of their land was shipped to Alameda county, where it found a ready market, and they were desirous of becoming citizens of this county themselves.

The secretary of the Exchange was instructed to look up the law in the matter and to inform the two gentlemen of the result of the investigation.

LARGE HOLDINGS IN MEXICO

SAN FRANCISCO, August 9.—The Babcocks Development Company has been incorporated by Mrs. Phebe A. Hearst, Edward H. Clark, Fred Clark, R. A. Clark, G. Drum, F. G. Sanborn and Charles S. Wheeler, with a capital stock of \$250,000. The corporation is to manage and develop properties in Mexico, which have been turned over to it by Mrs. Hearst at a valuation of \$400,000 Mexican silver. She owns all the stock of the company, with the exception of thirty shares, which are held by the other six directors. The company gets its title from the Hacienda San Jose de Babalora, one of the tracts conveyed by Mrs. Hearst, which consists of thirty-six cattle farms in Chihuahua. Numerous other large tracts in the same part of Mexico are described in the conveyance.

JUDGE HENSHAW'S BARN BURNED

REDWOOD CITY, August 9.—One of the stables on the premises of Judge Henshaw, situated about three miles west of this place, was destroyed by fire between 4 and 5 o'clock yesterday evening. At one time the magnificent residence of the judge was in danger, but was saved by hard work on the part of the firemen from here, who went out in response to a telephone message for assistance.

The firemen, with the help of the neighbors and employees of Judge Henshaw, succeeded in confining the fire to the building in which it originated. The automobile and other contents of the building were saved. The loss is about \$1,000, covered by insurance.

QUEER CONDITION ON THE SEA

PHILADELPHIA, August 9.—An unusual condition at sea was reported by Captain Goodwin of the ship *Dirigo* which arrived at the Spreckels sugar refinery from Honolulu with a cargo of raw sugar. The *Dirigo*, according to Captain Goodwin, practically drifted from Honolulu to the Delaware breakwater, a distance of 14,000 miles. The ship required 166 days. On several days the *Dirigo*, which is one of the fastest clipper ships afloat, made only fifty miles. The weather in both the Atlantic and Pacific oceans was calm and sultry, with incessant rains delaying the big ship. Only two vessels were seen until quite close to land.

PURCHASE RAILWAY

NEW YORK, August 9.—Speculation concerning the future control of the Hankow and Canton Railway and the concessions for further construction, now owned by China, American Development Company, were set at rest yesterday by the positive statement made in well informed quarters, according to the *Herald*, that J. P. Morgan & Co. are continuing their negotiations for the sale of the properties and concessions to the Chinese. It was learned further that the offer for the control of the China American Development Company made by various European syndicates are not being considered by the Morgan firm. From a financial point of view, several of these offers are understood to have been very tempting.

If the attitude of the various Chinese governments had been different, the *Herald* continues, and more in harmony with the spirit in which the concessions were granted, it might have been possible to bring the sale to European bidders. At the present time, however, the negotiations for the sale of the property have become closely intertwined with diplomacy. While a large banking profit will be sacrificed by the sale of the concessions and railroad to the Chinese, it is asserted that the majority interest is acting with a view to promoting better and more cordial relations between this country and China than now exist and at the same time eliminate some of the friction.

Delay in completing the sale to the Chinese is stated to be due to the difficulty in determining just which of the provincial governments, or it may be the imperial government, is the correct and proper quarter with which to deal. Precautions safeguarding the transfer of the concession and the payment therefor necessitate a great deal of time and attention.

JEROME'S CANDIDACY

NEW YORK, August 9.—The first political banners to be displayed in the interest of William Travers Jerome as an independent candidate for re-election as District Attorney were suspended yesterday at Forsyth and Grand streets by a recently formed organization whose members are pledged to support Mr. Jerome at the polls.

KILAUEA AGAIN ACTIVE.
HONOLULU, May 7.—There is marked activity in the volcano of Kilauea. The flow of lava is increasing and a rising of the crater gives indications that there may be an overflow. Reduced first-class tickets to Honolulu by steamer, American sailing August 13. \$125 round trip. Full information, 553 Market Street, San Francisco.

RELIGIOUS WORKERS TO MEET

Inter-Church Conference
on Federation to
be Held.

NEW YORK, August 9.—Twenty-four religious denominations, containing 13,000,000 communicants, have each appointed from five to fifty delegates to meet in this city on November 15, to take part in an inter-church conference on federation.

The meeting will be held in Carnegie Hall for a week, the object being the federation of the Protestant forces in America.

President Roosevelt has expressed his sympathy with the movement, and it is expected that one or more members of his Cabinet will be able to take part in the discussions of the conference. The sixty speakers on the program named, the presiding officers, include five bishops of the Protestant Episcopal Church, a bishop of the Reformed Episcopal Church, a bishop of the Moravian Church, representatives of the Presbyterian, Congregational Baptist and other denominations, two United States Supreme Court Justices, two Justices of State courts, a United States Senator, a Congressman, a Governor, a Mayor and several college presidents and professors, editors and ministers.

Among the issues to be brought before the church and nation by the conference are religious education, the social order, evangelization, home and foreign missions, the fellowship of faith, the national life and Christian progress.

Besides declaring faith in the essential unity of the Protestant church, several speakers will recapitulate the work of the churches in the cities of this country. State and foreign missionary work, and there will be a special meeting devoted to young people's movements, and a reception at the Waldorf-Astoria given by the half dozen denominations in this city will be among the popular features. The chairman of the executive committee is Dr. William Henry Roberts of Philadelphia, the secretary Dr. E. B. Sanford of New York.

SIX SCORES OF GOLFERS TO PLAY

CHICAGO, August 9.—With a cloudy sky and prospects good for a shower, the six score golfers still in the qualifying round of the national golf championship resumed play today for the big media scoring tournament. By nightfall the list of thirty-two players entitled to continue the match play for Champion H. C. Egan's title will be known. Some well-known golfers today were dangerously near being sifted into the "falloff to quality" class.

The first pair was dispatched at 9:30 o'clock this morning as scheduled yesterday, which schedule calls for the last pair getting away a little after 3 o'clock. There was little wind.

BYRON HOT SPRINGS.

Following are the arrivals at Byron Hot Springs, the past week:
San Francisco—H. J. Goodman, J. S. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob S. Schwartz, T. Backlund, H. N. Brady, Mrs. C. J. Bonner, Walter C. Bonner, Edward Eitel, Leo Cooper, Mrs. William J. Heney, Miss Lillian Heney, Louis C. Christie, Waverly C. Hawkins, Mrs. Henry Sahlin, Bve Sahlin, Marian Sahlin, Rose Sahlin, Mrs. Godfrey Fisher, Miss Carolyn, Miss Mand Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. F. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bond, Miss Hazel Wilke, Miss Ethel Thorndyke, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gray, A. P. Jacobs, Miss Lucy E. Jacobs, Miss Mayberry, Maxwell McNutt, Miss E. Holder, Miss Mary E. Thomas, Alfred Meyerstein, A. Bruenn, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Eaton, Miss Mabel Norton, Miss Edith Bonnell, Edward Bonnell, Mrs. P. M. Speyer, Charles A. Dunn, Miss D. A. Ward, Colonel A. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. W. Remadell, Fred Dratz, Mrs. W. E. Tracy, Mrs. George W. Salz, Paul Branke, D. Rigdon, F. Ledoncor, D. Brandenstein, Mrs. Fred Jacob, Mr. and Mrs. H. Cohn, W. Rosenberg and wife, Miss Inez Rosenberg, W. C. Howard, A. H. Wone.

Oakland—George A. Austin, S. H. Graham, John Marovich, Marie Marovich, Mrs. Charles E. Marovich, Sumner Hughes, Z. C. Radcliff, Mr. and Mrs. William Havens, Mrs. D. A. Proctor, Miss Penarth, Miss Blanch Penarth, Harry C. Sessions, Honolulu, H. J. P. Mendonca, Mr. and Mrs. James M. May and child, Pleasanton—John Curry, Buttonwillow—Mrs. Charles Meves and child, Fruitvale—F. L. Stow, A. B. Tambeling, Stockton—M. E. Miller, George C. Hitchcock, Goldfield, Nevada—A. M. Tibbals, Tassajara—Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Johnson, Berkeley—D. J. Curtin, E. J. Laberg, San Jose—S. Gortonburg, Livermore—C. A. Johnston, Chicago—B. Cussick, Tonopah, Nevada—Mrs. J. Lewis, Lodi—A. J. Larson, Margreth Beckman, Sacramento—Mrs. W. A. Fountain, Mrs. A. C. Storck, Antioch—Miss Lizzie Fitzpatrick, Mr. John Fitzpatrick, Hayward—J. F. Brandon, Nevada City—E. H. Reed, Cincinnati, Ohio—J. N. Fox.

RUSSIA'S CHEERLESS CITIES.

There is something terribly depressing about these ungainly Russian cities, vast in extent though comparatively small in population, and more like overgrown villages, than real towns. There are very many of them scattered about over the length and breadth of the empire, both in Europe and Asia, all very much alike, all dirty and uncomfortable, untidy, and with a few exceptions, utterly devoid of any noteworthy features. Every one seems oppressed by the unutterable dreariness and monotony of life, by the squalor and the sordid poverty, especially in wet weather, when the filthy streets become rivers of mud and the cab have only just enough life in them to bespatter luckless foot passengers from top to toe. Villars' Guide.

WANT DEMANDS UPHELD

IMPROVEMENT CLUB FAVORS
WORK OF LIBRARY
TRUSTEES.

At the regular meeting of the Twenty-third Avenue District Improvement Association last evening the following resolution was passed:

"Whereas, The board of library trustees of the free library of the city of Oakland has made its demands for the current year upon the City Council for the necessary maintenance of said library and the various reading rooms throughout the city, and

"Whereas, The City Council are agitating the question of cutting down the amount of the appropriation by reducing the same,

"Therefore, Be it resolved that it be the sense of this club and that the secretary be and is hereby instructed, to communicate with the Councilmen of this ward urging them to sustain the original appropriation as asked for by the library trustees."

Rev. Whitaker was added to the library committee to act in conjunction with the other members in securing the maintenance of the reading room at Twenty-third avenue and securing the circulation of certain books formerly donated by this association.

Dr. Beckwith and Rev. Whitaker were appointed as a committee to employ some competent person to circulate a petition among the property owners in the vicinity of Twenty-third avenue to ascertain what percentage of property owners are in favor of paying the avenue.

Mr. Mole was appointed to investigate the wearing qualities of pavement made of asphalt concrete base and T. V. Jeffers that of oil road. Mr. Jeffers was also added to the association's street railway committee.

JAPAN CHANGES THE MAP.

Japan has already begun to make its changes on the map of the world. A new chart of the waters about Sakhalin Island has just been issued by the Japanese hydrographic bureau, concerning which a Tokyo newspaper says: "On this map the Strait of Tartary, which divides Sakhalin from the main land, is marked 'Mamiya Kaikyo' (Strait of Mamiya) and the Amur gulf, northward of the strait, is marked 'Mamiya Kaikyo' (Northern part of Mamiya strait). This name 'Mamiya' recalls a remarkable historical event hitherto not known outside of Japan. Mamiya Rinsu was a Japanese subject, who had associated himself with researchers in Sakhalin. The Tokugawa government sent him in 1808 with an official Japanese flag, to investigate the conditions in this northern quarter. The little party traveled in a boat sixty feet long with four feet beam. They carried many hardships, but they succeeded in making the important discovery that Sakhalin was an island, separated from the continent by a narrow strip of sea. Thenceforth this water was known as 'Mamiya-no-umi' (the Sea of Mamiya)."

"Foreign nations, however, had no cognizance of Mamiya's discovery, and when Muraviev commenced his celebrated exploits in the Amur in the middle of the nineteenth century, he was under the impression to be a part of the mainland. Nevolsky discovered the error in 1848, and thenceforth the strait was called the Strait of Tartary on Russian maps. But, as in Mamiya's case, so also in Nevolsky's, outsiders remained ignorant until the extraordinary incidents of the Elliott expedition in 1855.

"Sir Charles Elliott, with three strong ships, passed himself in the Gulf of Tartary where, as he supposed, his squadron blocked a Russian squadron lying in De Castries bay. But within a fortnight the ice broke up in the Strait of Tartary, whose existence Elliott did not suspect, and the Russian squadron steamed away north, passed through the strait and left Elliott blockading an empty bay."

FRUITVALE PROGRESS.

A statement was made in the newspapers a few days ago to the effect that Colonel Frank Lynch was the proprietor of the Fruitvale Progress. The Fruitvale Progress is owned by C. Leidecker, Colonel Lynch's paper is known as the Fruitvale News. He was recently arrested on a charge of libel.

Cures Scleritis.

Rev. W. L. Riley, L. D. D., Cuba, New York, writes: "After fifteen days of excruciating pain from scleritis rheumatism, under various treatments I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment; the first application giving me first relief and the second entire relief. I can give it unqualified recommendation. Price, 25c, \$1.00. Sold by W. H. W. Drug Store."

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The Criminally Unsophisticated

A new name has been coined for the suckers who invest in gold bricks or bet at the string game or three-card monte. John S. Strosnider, a New York confidence man and sure-thing gambler, terms them the "criminally unsophisticated." It is an appropriate title. As Strosnider points out, the men who lose their money at these devices do so in attempting to take a dishonest advantage of someone else. They are the victims of professional sharpers because their dishonest cupidity is not accompanied by knowledge of the ways and wiles of the wicked world. It is not because they are green that they get robbed but because they are greedy and dishonest. No honest man, however green or unsophisticated, buys a gold brick or bets at a sure-thing game. So, Strosnider claims that he does no harm to honest men, but merely swindles would-be swindlers.

His fine casuistry does not agree with the principles of the law or the ethics of the social organization. It is the logic of a thief. Simmered down, it is nothing more than a contention that it is perfectly proper to swindle a person who is willing to swindle others, and that there is nothing wrong in setting and baiting a trap in which persons both ignorant and dishonest may fall. Nevertheless, Strosnider's industry is a criminal one. The dishonesty of his victims is negative and dormant. His dishonesty is active and predatory. If they belong to the criminally unsophisticated he belongs to the criminally sophisticated class. He is a thief by selection and occupation; they are dishonest by instinct and thieves by accident. He is a shark, they are suckers.

However, there is a moral worthy of study in the philosophic disquisitions of this clever thief. It is not so much that honesty is the best policy as that who sups with the devil must have a long spoon. It is true that some kinds of swindling would become unprofitable if there were not so much latent dishonesty among respectable people engaged in honorable and useful avocations, but men of the Strosnider type would nevertheless devise other methods of robbing the unsophisticated. Men of his class devote all their energies and ingenuity to plundering their fellow men, and they are as ready to rob the honest innocent as the "criminally unsophisticated." They are social brigands, whose profession and misdeeds are not palliated by what others may do or think.

The "yellow peril" seems a trifle more imminent down about New Orleans than on the shores of the Pacific.

A former resident of Oakland returned a few days ago and, although he was absent only a few months, saw many new faces on the streets. The local press intimates that the strangers are real estate brokers who are flocking in at the rate of five a day. The incident standing alone is insignificant but it must not be forgotten that real estate brokers don't flock to dead towns.—Sacramento News. The News might also have said that the presence of many real estate agents indicates an active market. These lively gentlemen are evidences of business and growth. But there are many other evidences of an active realty movement in Oakland and vicinity. The realty transfers recorded show how rapidly property is changing hands and the building records prove that the city is growing fast.

Apparently Secretary Shaw thinks there is scant breathing room for three Presidential candidates in the Cabinet.

When he landed at Baltimore on his return from Europe, the editor of the Alameda Argus fell into the hands of the customs officials. From the nature of his remarks concerning their methods, we judge they "didn't do a thing to him." Like a loyal Republican, he refused to go back on the tariff, but he ruefully declares that it is badly administered—in Baltimore at least. Still a man who tempts fate by landing in Baltimore has little right to complain when he gets what's coming to him. Why didn't Editor Daniels land at the Alameda mole instead of taking the creek route?

Swift Justice in Georgia.

A notable murder trial has just been concluded at Rome, Georgia. The defendant was a highly connected prominent man who had shot down another highly connected prominent citizen. The defense set up was that the dead man had seduced and debauched the beautiful wife of the slayer. These facts are recited to give point to the features of the case worthy of study. A jury was empaneled in forty-five minutes, and not a woman who was not a witness appeared in court. The killing took place on the 19th of July and the case was called for trial in the District Court on August 1. The prosecution closed its case on the afternoon of the following day. A continuance till next morning was denied by the judge and the defense was required to open their case without delay. Between the date of the killing and the commencement of the trial a coroner's inquest was held and a grand jury heard evidence and presented an indictment. Less than thirty days elapsed from the day the deed was committed till the trial ended.

How does this compare with the slow course of justice in California? The average attorney in this State would consider the speed indecent and a crime against the bread and butter side of practicing law. Out here it would be considered hasty to hold the preliminary examination within thirty days of the commission of the crime.

However, this is not an exceptional case in Georgia. Not long ago, near Valdosta in that State a boy and girl were shot to death at night in the yard surrounding their home. An old man named Rawlings, his three sons and a negro were indicted for the murder of the children. In less than fifty days after the commission of the crime all five had been tried and convicted, and three of them sentenced to death. Each defendant was tried separately. As quick as a verdict was reached in one case the trial of another began. Georgia justice may have other shortcomings, but it assuredly does not travel with leaden heels. Some of the expedition of Georgia courts might well be emulated in California.

A Staggering Blow to Schmitz.

While the Republican League will control the San Francisco municipal convention by a large majority, Schmitz and Ruef were defeated by only a narrow plurality—so narrow as to leave the question of relative strength at the general election an open one. If added together the vote cast for the Schmitz Republican delegates and the vote cast for the Schmitz delegates to the Union Labor convention slightly exceeds the combined vote cast by the opposition, including that polled by the McNab Democracy. Here is the way it tabulates:

Republican League	15,193	Ruef Republican	15,595
McNab Democracy	2,700	Opposition Democrat	645
Opposition Union Labor	184	Union Labor	3,150

Total 19,987 Total 19,900

On this basis the Schmitz-Ruef combination polled a popular majority of 913 in the primary. If we give all the Democrats to the coalition ticket that will be nominated against Schmitz and all the Union Labor votes to the other side, the League will have 19,448 and Schmitz 19,439. It must be evident, therefore, that the result of the primary is a drawn battle so far as the vote cast is concerned, but the decisive factor remains to be dealt with. Forty thousand voters did not go to the polls. From 30,000 to 35,000 of these absentees will vote at the gen-

eral election. With them rests the decision whether Schmitz and Ruef or the League Republicans and McNab Democrats shall rule the city. On general principles it is safe to count a considerable majority of this absentee vote against Schmitz, as it is largely made up of business and professional men who habitually abstain from voting at primaries, and who are away in great numbers at this season of the year on summer outings.

A particularly heavy vote was cast in the down-town districts, which Schmitz and Ruef carried and which constitute their strongholds, which makes the result more ominous for the present administration. Schmitz has not been knocked out, but he has received a body blow. Unless he receives an unexpectedly large proportion of the silent vote he will be beaten in November.

Whether this is the case or not will depend mainly upon the action of the large vote normally Democratic which abstained from participating in the primary and which has been at odds with its local leadership for several years past. But after all is said and done the indications at this time point to a Republican victory in San Francisco, a consummation devoutly to be desired.

Getting Married Thoughtlessly.

The case of an Alameda county couple who lived together for over a year deeming themselves husband and wife on the strength of taking out a marriage license has been the subject of some comment throughout the State. These people supposed that taking a license and paying for it constituted a marriage without further ceremony or formality. It is strange people will take so little pains to inform themselves regarding the steps necessary to be taken in contracting a valid marriage. Marriage is the most sacred and binding contract known to the law and the customs of Christian peoples; it is for life; it involves the good name of the woman and the legal status of the offspring; it vitally affects property rights, and is altogether pregnant with the gravest consequences and responsibilities. Yet people continue to get married in any old way under the spur of the moment, taking no heed of whether they are proceeding according to law or not. Often the contracting parties take little pains to ascertain the antecedents of each other. Frequently they get married to make a freakish ending to a lark. Occasionally an ignorant or indifferent couple applies to a clergyman who has been at no pains to inform himself regarding the law with a license taken out in another county. The foolish preacher performs an illegal ceremony of doubtful validity, kisses the bride, pockets the fee, and leaves the couple to find out later on that they have been married irregularly. Why will people be so careless and indifferent in such matters? The law has tried to safeguard the marriage tie, but no law is vigorous enough to make people inform themselves regarding its provisions. In consequence the courts are continually being called on to unravel tangled matrimonial skeins and adjust the property rights involved.

The State Board of Equalization would confer a favor on the public by explaining how it is that railroad property has not increased in value in proportion to the increase in value of other property in California. The business of the railroads has increased; their gross and net earnings have increased; their selling value as represented by the market quotations on their shares has increased. Why, then, has the value of the roads for assessment purposes not increased? Taxpayers generally would like to have this conundrum explained to them by the State Board.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

Lady Fitznoodle (a bride), reading account of her wedding—I wish they'd invent a new expression. It's always the "blushing bride."
Miss Candor—Well, when you consider what some of husbands some American girls marry you can't wonder at them blushing.—Life.

Ethel's mother was very ill and, calling the little miss to her bedside, she said: "Ethel, what would you do if I should die?"
"Oh," answered Ethel, who did not realize the gravity of the situation, "I s'pose I'd have to spank myself."—Chicago News.

"It's remarkable how easily these idle rumors gain currency."
"Yes; and it's still more remarkable how some idle stock-market rumors enable others to gain currency."—Philadelphia Ledger.

"How will you estimate the carrying capacity of your flying machine?"
"By the amount of stock it will float," answered the practical inventor.—Washington Star.

With one look at Goodman Gongrong's tattered garments the woman of the house slammed the door in his face.
"Clothes may not make the man," he soliloquized, as he turned away and started for the next house, "but they sort o' seem to classify him."—Chicago Tribune.

Rastus—How do you like yo melon?
Ephraim—On de cob.—Puck.

"I make a chum of my father."
"I could never do that with mine."
"Wouldn't he like it?"
"He might, but ma wouldn't. I'm usually out till after midnight."—Houston Post.

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"All out of that," he said, "but here
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—New York Sun.

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GARDEN FETE.

The garden fete to be given tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Matthews, 2853 San Pablo Avenue, Berkeley, promises to be a delightful affair.

The party is planned by the ladies of St. Coloma's Church, Golden Gate, and a large number of Oakland and Berkeley people are interested in the success of the evening.

Harry Wood Brown will contribute a baritone solo to the program and others who will take part include Miss Brazil, Miss Coburn, E. V. McGinty and C. Leighton. The hostesses Thursday evening will be: Mrs. P. J. Matthews, Miss Tormey, Mrs. J. L. Milton, Miss Milton, the Misses Matthews, Mrs. E. V. McGinty and Miss Paladeau.

INFORMAL MUSICALS.

Miss Winifred June Morgan was hostess Sunday afternoon at an informal musical for her guest, Miss Mercedes de Luna of Los Angeles, who is a college friend and member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma Fraternity. Among the musicians who contributed numbers to an excellent musical program were Mrs. Jenkins Trost, Miss Dollie Trost, Miss Pansy Perkins, Miss Young of Berkeley, Miss Marie Invernicio of Guatemala, Dr. Fred Davis, Eugene Blanchard, Charles Ralph Dutton, Warren Turner and Seyd Havens.

Miss Morgan has gone to Portland, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Otis Wright.

PLEASANT VISIT.

Mrs. George E. Perkins left yesterday for a week's stay at Mare Island, where she will be the guest of Lieutenant and Mrs. Mitchell. Mr. Perkins has gone to Fresno on a short business trip.

GUEST AT THE CAMP.

Charles J. Green, of the firm of Owens and Green, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mackinnon at Camp Mackinnon, Lafayette, Contra Costa county. Mr. Mackinnon and his family will not return to Oakland until two weeks from next Saturday. Mr. Green has his large automobile at the camp, and his friends are enjoying many long rides with him.

CALIFORNIA DAY.

Mrs. Charles Woodbury has charge of the program for California day, September 13, at Ebell, and the event promises to be the great success of the year. The musical numbers will be from California composers, the history of the State will be reviewed and there are to be speeches by prominent men on the subject, "The Making of a Great State."

Mrs. Woodbury will be assisted by Mrs. J. B. Hume and a large receiving party on this occasion at Ebell.

Today is the favored day of brides. There are two weddings across the bay, and this evening two well-known young Oakland people, Miss Mildred



MISS DELIGHT WOODBURY, WHO HAS RETURNED FROM AN EXTENDED VISIT TO SANTA CRUZ.

Kelly and Lee Gilpin, will exchange nuptial vows. The marriage will be solemnized at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Laura E. Kelly, on Alhambra street, and will be attended only by relatives and intimate friends. Rev. Clifton Macdon, pastor of Trinity Episcopal Church, will officiate. Miss Esther Kelly will attend her sister as maid of honor, and John M. Kelly will attend the groom. Lee Gilpin is the only son of Mrs. Z. T. Gilpin, prominent in club circles.

Mr. Gilpin and his bride will occupy their new home on Lafayette street after a honeymoon trip.

At noon today the marriage of Miss Mabel Handy and Albert Mau took place in Trinity Chapel, the Rev. Mr. Hulme officiating. The ceremony was a simple affair, the bride wearing her traveling suit. Miss Therese Thompson was maid of honor, and the groom was attended by his brother, Arthur H. C. Mau.

The wedding this evening of Miss May Belle Greenbaum and Herbert Fleischacker is a home wedding, to which 150 guests are invited. Miss Helen Neustadt and Joseph Greenbaum, brother of the bride, are the attendants.

AT HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Bew (Lolla E. Day) have returned from their honeymoon and are located in their new home on Larkin street. Mr. Bew is a well known member of the local Elks and his bride is a cousin of Mrs. James Kent of this city.

CHURCH WEDDING.

Another wedding of interest will take place this evening at half past eight in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, when Miss Jennie McBrien

CALIFORNIA DAY AT EBELL

MRS. WOODBURY PLANS THE PROGRAM—FABIOLA HOSPITAL TO HAVE A BENEFIT.

will become the bride of John Francis Lynch. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McBrien, and both young people are well known on this side of the bay. The wedding will be witnessed by a large number of friends.

FABIOLA BENEFIT.

Miss Georgie Cope is managing the farce comedy, "His Excellency, the Governor," to be given next month at the Liberty Playhouse for the benefit of Fabiola Hospital Association. Milton Schwartz is stage manager and the cast includes clever amateurs who have scored previous successes.

The affair is certain to be a great society event and financial success. The leading characters will include Miss Georgie Cope, Miss Margaret Knox, Rufus Smith, Milton Schwartz, Willard Barton, Rosstier Mikel and a number of others.

AT LUNING CAMP.

Mrs. William Kleeman and Miss Estelle Kleeman will leave in a few days for Camp Luning, where they will remain for a brief visit as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Luning.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meak are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crellin at the Claremont Country Club.

Miss Delight Woodbury has returned from a pleasant trip to Santa Cruz. Mrs. Balfour Adamson of Fruitvale is at Tahoe Tavern.

Mrs. George B. M. Gray is home again after a pleasant stay at Camp Verona.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutton and Miss Carmen Sutton leave today for Catalina Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Butters and Miss Marie Butters are in town for a few days.

Mrs. John A. Gallagher has gone on a northern visit, including a trip to the Exposition.

Mrs. Seth Mann and family have returned after a delightful vacation spent at McCrae's, near Cloverdale.

Mrs. W. S. Noyes has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Hooper, of New York, who leaves for Arizona.

William G. Drum is among the Oaklanders at the Exposition.

Mrs. Guy Waterbury has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harrison Clay, for a week.

Leroy Folger has returned after a hunting and fishing trip in Glenwood, Lake county.

Miss Edith Schultz of East Oakland has returned from a pleasant visit at Skaggs Springs.

Mrs. Robert S. Knight and her family have returned after a six weeks' stay at Villaremi. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brigham, Miss Gladys and Miss Denial Brigham have also returned from a visit to Villaremi.

Mr. Bouvian of Tucson, Arizona, is visiting here.

J. T. Dille has returned from Portland and Miss Helen Dille is spending a few days at Monterey as the guest of her sister.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

NEW YORK, August 9.—Stirred by the presence in his court room of 100 women, followed by a mob of children, each woman demanding a warrant for the husband whom she charged with desertion and non-support, Magistrate Pool yesterday declared that wife desertion is one of the most serious menaces to domestic life that now confronts New York.

After hearing the charges, the Magistrate issued twenty warrants and turned the remaining cases over to court officers for immediate investigation.

Later, in discussing the problem with a reporter, the Magistrate said:

"The large number of cases that are coming before Magistrates in the Police Courts show the grave nature of the problem that the law-makers must face.

"When a man tires of a wife, or is attracted by a pretty face, all that he has to do is to refuse to support his wife, and then when she has him summoned before me, he can give a bond for the payment of a weekly sum, and go free, of interference from the woman or from the law. I am glad to say that in the largest number of cases that appear before me the husband is of foreign birth.

"A serious side to the problem is that women appeal to the Police Court for aid only when they have exhausted every other means of bringing the husband back to them.

"When a woman appeals to me for aid, I can only summon the husband and force him to give bond for the payment of a stated sum each week. If he refuses I can send him to the workhouse. Many prefer to go to the workhouse to paying their wives anything at all."

A probation officer in Magistrate Pool's court said he had given the question of wife abandonment careful study and that such cases are constantly increasing in number in this city. He asserted that family interference and troublesome relatives were the two causes largely responsible.

EXPERIENCE OF A WOMAN SENATOR AND PROMINENT POLITICAL WORKER

The experience of Mrs. Mary C. C. Bradford, State Senator, president of the educational bureau and active political worker, affords a remarkable illustration of the actual working of woman's suffrage. This very successful politician talks with the utmost freedom of her activities. Mrs. Bradford is of medium height, with quick, alert eyes, a characteristic face, depicting determination and intelligence, and possessed of a wonderful flow of language. She shows the results of her parliamentary training in legislative work, and has the most minute details of political procedure to the finest point.

That the New York women en masse do not want the ballot is something which evidently puzzles the woman voter from Colorado. She cannot understand the anomaly of up-to-date women passively submitting to be classed with "idiots, drunkards and imbeciles." And really, I hardly think the New York women understand it themselves.

Mrs. Mary C. C. Bradford, now of Colorado, but a New York woman by birth, as she sat in her hotel apartment here, was very willing to chat about how it feels to vote and to expatiate on what the ballot really means to the business woman.

Asked what she considered the greatest benefit accruing to women from the ballot, Mrs. Bradford said:

"In my opinion the chief benefit is the character building which is the result of the responsibility put upon women by the gift of the ballot. The franchise makes women broader, more tolerant. They lose the sense of personality and gain the impersonal and universal viewpoint.

"The difference between the New York and Western woman is very material. In States where women have the franchise ages have advanced four per cent and there has been a decrease of three per cent in the number of unfortunate women.

"We Western women are freer than you New York women and broader in many ways. You view yourselves from a sex standpoint; we are beginning to view ourselves from a human standpoint. For instance, you will hesitate to take many initiative steps because you are women; we, by reason of the franchise, lose sight of our womanhood and class ourselves with the great mass of humanity working for the good of all.

"The great cry of you Eastern women who oppose the granting of the

ballot to women is the environment of the polling places. That is such nonsense. The argument is worn threadbare. The Turk used it in answer to the proposition to allow the Turkish women to leave the harems. It was put forth when women tried to enter business offices, but she persisted all the same. And what is the result? The business office today is better ordered, more refined than in the past.

"When women are allowed to vote the environment of the polling places changes. There are respectable and disreputable neighborhoods, and it depends upon where you live. As a rule, a respectable woman will live in a respectable location and the environment of the booths will correspond with the class of voters. There is always one woman judge and one woman clerk of elections; no woman need feel the least timidity in entering the box.

"To show you how simple this voting is, let me give you an illustration of one of my own experiences. At the special time of which I speak my youngest daughter was quite a child, so young, in fact, that I generally took her to school. This morning in question being election day and she being rather late, talked it over with her as to whether she could not go to school by herself.

"Come with me, mother, she pleaded; 'you can vote on our way to school.'

"I consented, and we set out. The booths were but a short distance from the house, and we were soon there. The judge and clerk both knew me. Of course I had registered, and it was easily discovered that I had every right to vote. The ballot was given me and I entered the booth to mark it according to the way in which I wanted to cast it. It was dropped in the box, and just ten minutes from the time I left my own house I was again on my way to the school house and had voted for William J. Bryan. Nothing could be easier or quicker than that, could it?"

"We were given the franchise twelve years ago in Colorado. November 7, 1893. In that time there have been thirteen women in the Legislature. I have just finished my term as clerk of the State Senate, the first woman to have held that office in any State. During my term of office there were fifty-nine members—fifty-eight men and myself.

"The Colorado department of education is entirely in the hands of wo-

men. Out of the fifty-nine counties thirty-three have women superintendents. There are nearly 40,000 more men than women in Colorado, and the woman's vote has never fallen below 43 per cent and has been as high as 52 per cent.

"I wish you would let me say something in reply to the many statements which go forth from time to time that if Colorado had to do it over again she would not give suffrage to women. I think the following figures will settle that question without a doubt:

"Suffrage for women was voted on in 1893 and carried by a majority in round numbers of 6,000. In 1902, after nine years of experiment, it was voted on again by means of a constitutional amendment and carried by a majority of 36,000.

"That is a rather strong showing, is it not?"

"Upon one of my previous visits here I was invited to drive with a Judge of the Court of Appeals and his wife. This man is one whose decision, because of his ability and intellect, is always looked upon as final. His wife is an intelligent, highly educated woman, of some marked literary ability.

"He was very much interested in some of the happenings in connection with the suffrage of which I was able to tell him, and questioned me closely on many points. Several times during the conversation, his wife chimed in, asking questions. The Judge was courteous, but was evidently annoyed by her persistency. Finally he exclaimed:

"Please let Mrs. Bradford say what she has to say, for she knows what she is talking about better than any woman I have ever met before."

"What is your object in this Business Women's National Association?" I asked.

"It is to develop the class consciousness of self-supporting women. It is to band them together that they may better recognize their strength and thus help themselves and other women.

"Club work in Colorado is much broader than it is here, because it exists in a place where the women composing the federation are not petitioners, but exercise the power of their constituents. For example, in addition to the Legislature granting hearings to the club women, the club women grant hearings to the Legislature, the legislative committee of the Colorado Federation of Women's Clubs being obliged to hold weekly meetings during the sessions of the Legislature in order

to grant hearings to members of the House and Senate who desire indorsement of their bills.

"I shall remain here some three weeks longer, to perfect the organization of the New York City and borough leagues of the Business Women's National League. Each borough president will be a member of the executive committee of the city league, and the city league board will be members of the State and national leagues.

"Each State will have some specific work. Louisiana is to run a bank, Colorado the Ranch Home, where business women may go for a needed rest, and New York is to build a club house for women.

"In conclusion let me say one thing. Before we came to New York we sent an invitation to Mayor McClellan to assist in the opening of the convention. He not only did not come, but he did not have the politeness even to send his regrets. In Colorado we are not accustomed to such treatment. We invite the Governor, and he comes. We invite the Mayor, and he comes. We have a vote, you have none; therefore, why bother with you? You are of no use politically. We have many advantages over you, as you can see."

In speaking of women and the franchise, one woman said, and I will quote her words as the summary of this dissertation on the benefits of the ballot to women:

"Do you suppose if I had a husband whom I loved and respected, who would give me a comfortable home, who was a companion in all the world's arena, a shield against the 'wings and arrows' of outrageous fortune, that I would feel the necessity for the ballot?"

"It was woman's discontent, her chafing against restrictions and petty tyrannies which first sent her into the world's arena. Man was originally to blame, and he must bear the brunt of the whirlwind he has raised. The woman who is a loved and happy wife, a proud mother, well cared for and treated as a responsible, intelligent human being by her husband, does not mount the rostrum and clamor for reform. It is the woman who has been disappointed who brings about the better conditions, and in a way she is a blessing—but the root of it all is the man."

And so we will leave it. Perhaps the New York man has not been so lacking in his duties after all, else his womankind would be more clamorous for the ballot.

"Do you mean to say you are going to throw her over now because she is sick?"

"She is a man, I tell you."

WHERE THEY ARE.

Maudie is in the garden
Culling pretty flowers;
Grace is in the hammock
Dreaming by the hour;
Kate is by the brookside
Where it's nice and cool;
(Kate is rather jaded
From the grind of school)
Nell is in the parlor
Just to snatch a nap;
Eva is on the front porch
Flirting with a chap.
Fannie is in the orchard,
May is in the grove,
AND
Mother is in the kitchen
With a red
Hot stove.

CANNED BEETS.

Wash the beets and leave on an earl inches of tops. Boil until tender pour off the hot water and cover with cold. When cool enough to handle rub the skins off with your hands, and slice. Have ready and scalding hot a quart of vinegar which has been brought to the boil with a little sugar. Lay the sliced beets in this, and when they are scalding hot, pack in jars, all these to overflowing with the vinegar and seal.

SWEETENING "SOURED" GIRL

The germ of criticism attacks human beings any time after they have outgrown "creepers" and grows up with its victims. The germ is particularly virulent in summer time and flourishes on hotel verandas, in city parks and at church socials; but when it infests the house it can be likened to a plague.

No one knows exactly how they catch the malady, nor do they find out they have it for some time after the infection.

A feeling of self-righteous loneliness is often the first symptom that the critical bacillus has fastened on to a grown person.

In children an uncanny sharpness in detecting the faults or misfortunes of their associates presage the critical disease.

However, the little girl who turns up her nose at the faded ribbons of one of her poorer playmates is only imitating the mental attitude of her mamma or her elder sister who take their acquaintances one by one and dissect them mentally, physically and satorially, dwelling with keen relish on each weak point.

The little girl is called bright or "cute" by her elders when she criticizes other children's ways. She is a clever little girl and a lazy one besides, and finds it is easy to be witty at other people's expense, particularly behind their back. When she gets to be a big girl she is braver and criticizes things and people to their faces.

She has trained eyes and brain only to see what may be found fault with, and the habit is strong upon her.

But she never turns the searchlight

of criticism on herself—oh, no! She knows so well that others are wrong that she is sure she is always right. Then the inevitable sets in.

Her own friends fear and avoid her. Those who enjoy her witticisms at others' expense know that their turn will come as soon as they are out of the way.

The home circle dreads the sharp tongue of its critical member and slowly but inevitably shuts her out of its confidence.

If she is unmarried she is called "sour," if married, a "nagger."

There is only one thing for the girl with the fault-finding habit to do, unless she wishes to develop into one of these unhappy people.

Let her broaden her point of view sufficiently to put herself in other people's places; then she will not be so apt to resent their actions, which is the natural outcome of this mode of thought.

The intensely critical spirit is often the narrow-minded, ignorant one.

The broader one's understanding the keener and larger one's sympathies are. Sympathy wipes out fault-finding and criticism.

The critical girl thinks she is only defending her ideals, which she thinks no one seems to come up to, by finding fault with the shortcomings of others.

The question is, How near does she come up to the ideals she has set up for herself?

It's time to reform your family and friends, when you are quite through forming and reforming yourself.

MARGARET HUBBARD AYER.

BERKELEY

SUBURBAN NEWS

UNIVERSITY

CLUB CONFERS WITH COLLEGE BOY SUCCEEDS ON STAGE

Directors Asked to Remedy Deficiencies in Le Conte School—Objections are Stated.

BERKELEY, August 9.—The Ashby Improvement Club met last night in consultation with five members of the Board of Education to discuss the addition to the Le Conte school. The meeting was held at the Peralta firehouse. A. R. Prame presided. The school directors present were, President Weir, W. A. L. Knowles, E. P. Lewis, H. S. Haseltine and A. T. Sutcliffe.

Club members called the attention of the board to deficiencies in the specifications. Special stress was laid on the concrete, which is being used in constructing the foundation for the addition. It seems that the percentage of ingredients in the mixture is not as it should be and according to some of the members of the club, who are contractors and builders, declared the foundation entirely too weak to bear up a building of the size of the Le Conte school. Attention was also called to the lack of provision for heating facilities, fire alarms and sanitary appliances. The club asked that the Board of Education attend at least to

the foundation and the alarm systems even if it was necessary to take money from some other fund for this purpose. It was suggested that a portion of the funds appropriated for the Russ street school in the Fourth Ward be turned aside and used for the essential improvements in the Le Conte school addition.

In reply the members of the Board of Education stated that the bond issue provided only for \$10,000 and at the time of the voting the Fourth ward had considered the appropriation sufficient. There was no money available to place in the Le Conte school and although the Board of Education realized that the addition was not exactly as it should be they did not think that at present anything could be done. Considerably more discussion pro and con ensued until some time after midnight when the meeting adjourned. At the conclusion of the conference the board promised to look further into the matter and if any money was found that could be diverted to the Le Conte school for necessary improvements without injuring the other schools, it would be done.

CADETS AT HOME

Entertainment is Given by Fruitvale Corps.

FRUITVALE, August 9.—There was an enjoyable entertainment given last night here by the Cadets of the Congregational Church. The affair took place at the corner of Fruitvale avenue and East Sixteenth street. There was a large attendance.

An interesting program of musical and literary numbers was prepared and delivered by the boys. Many who came were delighted with the excellence of the affair. It was the monthly open meeting of the organization, and the public was made welcome. At the conclusion of the exercises the cadets served light refreshments to their guests.

At some time the boys have been entertaining their friends on the second Tuesday evening of each month. They are gaining quite a reputation for their work on the stage.

NEWS NOTES.

Many of the residents of this town have recently returned from visiting the Portland Fair. They speak highly of the collection of scenic views which are being exhibited there by representatives of California. Two dozen scenes in Fruitvale are especially fine. There are two pictures of the huge oak in Diamond Canyon, which is the largest tree of its genus in California.

None of the photographs are the same as those displayed in the little folder called "Beautiful Fruitvale." Copies of this publication are being distributed at the fair also.

It is stated that the sale price of the Diamond Canyon property was \$30,000 instead of \$4,222 as reported. It was simply the price of the contract or option for the selling. The canyon was bought last week by the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company.

OFF FOR NEW YORK.

COLON, August 9.—Theodore P. Shonts, chairman of the Panama Canal Commission, and D. W. Ross, the purchasing agent of the Commission, left last night by the steamer Mexico for New York.

Before the departure of Chairman Shonts from Panama for Colon, on his way to the United States, the canal commission had a meeting at which it was decided that the bodies of employees dying on the isthmus should be sent to the United States at the expense of the government. The commission approved the erection of a 250 room hotel for the canal employees. The construction of a 70 room administration building was also approved.

AFFAIR BY LODGE

Foresters Install Officers at Haywards.

ELMHURST, August 9.—Many members of the local circle of Companions of the Forest attended the good time in Haywards last night. The lodge there installed its officers with an entertainment, to which were invited the Haywards Foresters as well as the Companions from here.

During the course of the evening a supper was served by the home lodge. Toasts from many prominent members of all three lodges followed the feast. Games and dancing came after the program of speeches. Pretty prizes were awarded to the winners of the contests at the cards. T. H. Thorndyke supplied the music for the dancing.

Credit for the hospitable entertainment of the Elmhurst visitors is due to the following arrangements committee: J. Albert Woods, Mrs. Sophie Drews, Mrs. M. Lawrence, and George Luce.

Mrs. Fred Straub, as grand supreme marshal of the V. P. E. C. Lodge will go to Stockton September 3 to attend the annual convention of the society. Mrs. Straub will be accompanied by her husband and daughter. She is one of the leading lodge women of this district. She is chief companion in the Elmhurst Circle, as well as president of the subordinate lodge of the U. P. E. C. in San Leandro. She is also deputy grand chief companion for the Haywards Circle and administered the oath of office to the officers of that lodge last night.

Frank Oleson, one of the most popular conductors on the Elmhurst line, gave up his position last week and has returned to his home in Merced.

Miss Lucy Field of Fitchburg visited Mrs. Fred Straub here last Monday.

PLAN TO TAKE TRIP BY WAGON

BERKELEY, August 9.—To travel by easy stage in a large covered wagon to Lake county is the trip undertaken by George Sully, the partner of H. D. Irwin, the South Berkeley real estate man, and his family. In regular camping wagon, completely equipped with all the modern conveniences for enjoying life in the country, drawn by two horses, the party left at 6:30 o'clock yesterday morning for the lakes and other points of interest in Lake county. Those who are making the trip are Mr. and Mrs. George Sully, George Sully Jr., James Sully, Mrs. F. M. Sully and Charles Smith.

WATCH AS SECURITY

Pawns Timepiece to Pay Board Bill.



J. Ben Southard Makes Hit in East and Gets Part in New York Production.

BERKELEY, August 9.—One of the unique laws of the Penal Code of California was cited in Judge Prowse's court yesterday when a man was arrested for debt. The bill he owed was the only kind for which it is possible to imprison the debtor in this State. John Correa owes Francisco Caesar \$14.50 for board and lodging and is unable to pay.

When he was brought before the Judge yesterday Correa admitted frankly that he should pay the money, but owing to financial embarrassment he could not do it now. He deposited a valuable gold case Waltham watch as a guarantee of good faith and was released on his own recognizance. When he gets enough money laid up to satisfy his creditor he can pay it and get the watch back without any trial taking place.

According to the law it is a misdemeanor punishable by fine or imprisonment to not to pay bills for board or lodging. To collect other money the creditor must have recourse to nature's weapons or the civil courts.

Francisco Caesar, the complainant, stated that he is a direct descendant from the Caesars who ruled Rome in the good old days. However, he did not show any certificate to that effect, and his Honor is inclined to accept the claim with a grain of salt.

BENEFIT FAIR.

Members of the Board of Library Trustees are actively at work on the preparations for the fair to be given here next month for the purpose of raising money to improve the library. A circular letter has been sent to the citizens and merchants of Haywards asking support in getting up the affair. Following is a copy of the document:

"HAYWARDS, August 9, 1905.

"The Board of Library Trustees ask your hearty co-operation in making the forthcoming fair, to be held in the Native Sons' Hall on September 21, 22 and 23 a grand success, by taking charge of a booth. The object of the fair is to raise money to furnish and complete the building and grounds, and your help is needed to make it a success. Kindly advise the Trustees as soon as possible the kind of booth you will take. Sincerely yours,

B. REED.

"Chairman Library Fair Committee."

MANY PUPILS.

More new students than ever before in the history of the institution were taken in on the opening day of two of the departments, whereas in former years the average has been thirty-five. To date the total enrollment is over 670, which is 126 more than that at the beginning of any other term yet.

It was found necessary to open another room for the use of the pupils this term, and it is expected that another will be demanded before Christmas.

The large increase is partly due to the new child labor law and the compulsory education law. The increasing number of new settlers here and the healthful conditions are responsible for many young students.

SCROFULA FROM PARENT TO CHILD

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BOY BANDIT KNOWN IN ALAMEDA.

Police of Island City Have Had Experience With James Crowhurst.

ALAMEDA, August 9.—James Crowhurst, acknowledged leader of the gang of evil-doers intimately associated with Blaker, Schneider and Pembroke, charged with the murder of Thomas Cook, who died at the Alameda Sanitarium after being robbed and brutally assaulted in Fruitvale by the trio, is not unknown in this city. Crowhurst and his younger brother figure in the Cook murder because of the fact that the elder Crowhurst, it is alleged, was the leader of the Fruitvale avenue gang, and is mixed up in other crimes it is believed.

Sergeant of Police Albert Kamp of this city knows Crowhurst well, and recalls the fact that he was arrested here a year or so ago with other youths for pilfering lead from the bulkhead of the shooting range of Company G, National Guard of California, located near High street.

The youths tore down the bulkhead in their efforts to secure the lead to sell to junkmen, and Crowhurst was one of the miscreants arrested at the time.

According to Sergeant Kamp young Crowhurst excited suspicions at that time by offering for sale a new pair of marine glasses. He offered to sell them for \$5.00, but when he was asked to show them, he refused to do so, and they were a fine pair, and must have been worth considerable money. I did not ask him where he obtained the glasses, and did not purchase them."

SCHOOL CHANGES.

ALAMEDA, August 9.—Principal George C. Thompson of the Alameda High School has inaugurated a number of changes in the school curriculum for the term which commenced this week. Professor Arthur H. Cogswell is to teach Greek. Addition to Latin if enough students enter the class. Miss Lucile Hewitt has been appointed teacher of mechanical drawing, which is an innovation, following out the policy of introducing branches of practical utility to pupils. This term, for the first time, Dr. Thompson has arranged to devote two periods instead of one to physics and chemistry. He feels that the kind of education is required owing to the laboratory work.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

ALAMEDA, July 9.—At the regular meeting of the Board of Health Dr. Thomas Carpenter, City Veterinarian

Spokane to seek relief from an attack of rheumatism.

Carl Whipple, a boy about 10 years of age, while at play near the cannery Sunday, had the misfortune to fall and break his left arm, about midway between the elbow and wrist.

The Board of Trustees will meet as a Board of Examinations on Monday, August 14, at 10 a. m., at the meeting place in Goodell Hall, corner B and Main streets.

Frank Zambresky Monday secured the contract for painting the pretty housing mansion on upper E street. He will commence the work this week.

F. J. Lemo and family left Monday on a two weeks' visit to friends at San Geronimo, Marin county.

Leonard Platt, who is ill at the residence of Dr. Reynolds, is reported able to sit up a while each day.

SMALL FIRE.

Mrs. C. Caribers of Castro street suffered heavily from a fire caused by the erratic actions of an oil stove last Sunday morning. She had lighted the stove and returned to bed about 6 o'clock, and did not awaken until the house was in flames. She hastily turned in an alarm and attended to the removal of Mrs. J. Johnson, who was staying with her, to the home of Mrs. E. Ray across the street.

The fire ladies responded promptly to the call, but the conflagration had gained so much headway that the interior of the house was destroyed before the flames could be extinguished. The personal property and clothing of the woman were a total loss. She is a professional nurse.

UNIVERSITY MAN IN SOUTH AMERICA

BERKELEY, August 9.—Lincoln Hutchinson, recently appointed assistant professor of commerce in the University of California, is now closing up his last work at Rio Janeiro, where for the last few months he has been engaged in gathering commercial information as a special investigator for the United States Bureau of Commerce. Professor Hutchinson has been away from the University for a year and the first part of his vacation in recovery from injuries received in an encounter with an employee on a San Francisco street car, and employing the latter part of his leave in travel and the gathering of information to be used in his lectures at Berkeley.

PERSONAL ITEMS.

By being thrown from her horse against a barbed-wire fence last week the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Baxter of Moraga Valley was seriously cut and injured. Dr. Browning attended the case and had to take ten stitches to close some of the wounds.

Miss Ryerson and Miss McAuslin of Hayward are in attendance this week at the Nurses' Convention in San Francisco.

Mrs. J. W. Hamburg of San Ramon was in Hayward Monday, en route to Oakland for a short trip. She returned home in the evening.

Mrs. Charles Prowse, accompanied by her son James and daughter Gertrude, has gone to Oakland to spend a two weeks' vacation with relatives.

J. F. Brandon has gone to Byron.

WATCH AS SECURITY

Pawns Timepiece to Pay Board Bill.

HAYWARDS, August 9.—One of the unique laws of the Penal Code of California was cited in Judge Prowse's court yesterday when a man was arrested for debt. The bill he owed was the only kind for which it is possible to imprison the debtor in this State. John Correa owes Francisco Caesar \$14.50 for board and lodging and is unable to pay.

When he was brought before the Judge yesterday Correa admitted frankly that he should pay the money, but owing to financial embarrassment he could not do it now. He deposited a valuable gold case Waltham watch as a guarantee of good faith and was released on his own recognizance. When he gets enough money laid up to satisfy his creditor he can pay it and get the watch back without any trial taking place.

According to the law it is a misdemeanor punishable by fine or imprisonment to not to pay bills for board or lodging. To collect other money the creditor must have recourse to nature's weapons or the civil courts.

Francisco Caesar, the complainant, stated that he is a direct descendant from the Caesars who ruled Rome in the good old days. However, he did not show any certificate to that effect, and his Honor is inclined to accept the claim with a grain of salt.

BENEFIT FAIR.

Members of the Board of Library Trustees are actively at work on the preparations for the fair to be given here next month for the purpose of raising money to improve the library. A circular letter has been sent to the citizens and merchants of Haywards asking support in getting up the affair. Following is a copy of the document:

"HAYWARDS, August 9, 1905.

"The Board of Library Trustees ask your hearty co-operation in making the forthcoming fair, to be held in the Native Sons' Hall on September 21, 22 and 23 a grand success, by taking charge of a booth. The object of the fair is to raise money to furnish and complete the building and grounds, and your help is needed to make it a success. Kindly advise the Trustees as soon as possible the kind of booth you will take. Sincerely yours,

B. REED.

"Chairman Library Fair Committee."

MANY PUPILS.

More new students than ever before in the history of the institution were taken in on the opening day of two of the departments, whereas in former years the average has been thirty-five. To date the total enrollment is over 670, which is 126 more than that at the beginning of any other term yet.

It was found necessary to open another room for the use of the pupils this term, and it is expected that another will be demanded before Christmas.

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PROFESSOR MOORE TO BE KEPT BUSY

BERKELEY, August 9.—Owing to the continued illness of Professor Elmer E. Brown, head of the department of education in the University of California, it has been found necessary to reorganize the work for the coming semester by recalling to his work Professor Ernest C. Moore, dean of the summer session just closed, who had planned to take out a leave of absence for the current university year. The work which Professor Brown had been scheduled to perform will be abandoned for the first semester, and Professor Moore will substitute in the place of them the courses which he had intended to drop for the present while he was taking his vacation.

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WANTED—Salesmen to sell Kinloch House Paint and F. T. A. Roof & Iron Paint to stores; experience unneces-sary; good salary; no capital; samples. Pacific Distributing Co., 816 Sacra-mento st., San Francisco, Cal. c
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FURNISHED room, en suite or single. 564 14th st. c
SUNNY front rooms; adults; also house-keeping rooms. 1118 Brush st. c
FURNISHED rooms by week, \$1.25. 703 Franklin st. c
LARGE room; 1 or 2 gentlemen; \$10.00 and \$12.00. 1062 8th st., Oakland. n
NICELY furnished room; private family. \$2 per month. 944 8th. c
THREE newly furnished light house-keeping rooms; sunny; near Grove; free station; adults; one furnished; gentle-ness. 554 7th ave. c
NICE sunny front rooms to let in private family; gas, bath, near car line; rea-sonable. 1004 21st st., cor. of Elbert st. c
THE ST. PAUL, 528 12th st., cor. Clay—Newly and finely furnished rooms; or-derly; also unfurnished rooms and of-fices; bath and library. Mrs. A. Larson, Prop. c
RENT (free) 3 sunny, partly furnished housekeeping rooms; near Grove; private couple; good place to raise chickens; investigate. Box 218 Tribune. c
NICE sunny front room; rent \$6.00. 624 17th st. c
LARGE front alcove room; gas; running water; use of bath; also sunny room adjoining; to let singly or en suite. 778 8th st., cor. West. c
LARGE furnished rooms; no housekeep-ing. 574 12th st., bet. Clay and Jef-ferson. c
FURNISHED sunny front room. 559 16th, bet. Clay and Jefferson. c
TWO nicely furnished rooms to let; no children. 761 14th. c
FOR RENT—Finely furnished rooms; sunny; strictly modern; furnace heat-60c; reasonable. 663 11th st. c
SUNNY rooms, near narrow-gauge; re-ferecences required. 1427 Franklin. c
THREE furnished rooms, suitable for gentlemen or ladies; private house-keeping if desired. 966 14th st. c
ONE nicely furnished front room; suit-able for gentleman. 320th, Telegraph ave. c
SAINT FRANCIS—Elegant. Furnished Housekeeping rooms; electric light; bath; electric lights; new. 570 12th st., San Pablo ave. c
THREE sunny furnished rooms; sun, gas and electric lights. 1222 12th, near Union. c
WELL furnished modern rooms from \$5 up; some housekeeping; central. 618 12th st. c
THE WALDORF—1223 Broadway; hand-some furnished rooms; single or en suite; also light housekeeping. Phone Black 6881.
PALMER HOUSE, 1241 Broadway, fur-nished rooms; also housekeeping rooms.
HOTEL ARLINGTON.
Ninth and Washington; elegant rooms; single or en suite; special rates for families, parties, and transient; American or European plan. c
FURNITURE—STOVE REPAIRING.
LAMP lock and key works. Novelty Repair Works, 936 San Pablo ave. Tel. Black 414.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.
THREE rooms furnished for housekeep-ing. 20 floor, bath; laundry. \$12. 569 23d. c
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HOUSEKEEPING rooms for rent; very desirable location; no children. 736 16th. c
THREE large sunny, elegantly furnished front rooms for housekeeping; gas, bath and telephone; 4 blocks from Washington st.; no children. 1017 Car-tero st., cor. 11th. c
TO LET—3 or 4 furnished or unfur-nished, sunny rooms; for housekeeping. 916 Grove. c
840 WEBST (rear)—3 sunny unfurnished housekeeping rooms; gas; 5. Owner, 307 Grove st. c
COLONIAL, 914 Castro St.—Desirable furnished housekeeping rooms; large yard. c
1168 JACKSON ST.—1 large room for housekeeping. Also single rooms; 75c a month. c
THREE newly furnished rooms; suitable for respectable couple. 926 Myrtle. c
TWO large bay window rooms, complete for housekeeping. 233 Oak. c
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SUNNY front housekeeping rooms also single; convenient a d central. Apply 415 4th st. c
HOUSES UNFURNISHED—TO LET.
FOR RENT—Cottage 5 rooms and bath with barn; \$20. Inquire 1816 Market. c
\$25.00 including water—New, modern cot-tage, 5 rooms and bath, high basement, large yard; all modern conveniences; gas and electric light; located on main thoroughfare, close to car lines and trains to city; good neighborhood. Box 225. c
HOUSE on Linden st., No. 1568, 5 rooms and bath; high basement; stationary wash trays and gas. Key next door. d
SPECIAL! We have just had listed with us three of the finest finished and most artifi-cially arranged flats in Oakland's most ex-clusive Lakeside District: 1143 Jackson st., 6 and bath...\$32.50 1159 Jackson st., 6 and bath...\$37.50 209 Thirteenth st., 6 and bath...\$22.00 Keys at office. Also pictures. LAYMANCE REAL ESTATE COMPANY, 460-462 8th st. c
ROOMING HOUSES FOR SALE.
FOR SALE—Nearly new furniture of a rooming house; 2 year lease. Box 90, Tribune. c
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MODERN flat; 6 rooms and bath; \$20. 5124 20th st., near 512 20th. c
TWO flats near Adeline station and 8th st. electric road. Owner 320 Union. c
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NOLAN flats of 7 or 8 rooms. 1165 and 1107 Alce. Phone Red 6331. c
FOR RENT—Nice, new, sunny flats. Cor. Piedmont and Moss ave. c
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At the regular monthly meeting of the Library Board, Librarian Greene presented his annual report of the progress made during the last fiscal year as follows:

"First, I congratulate the library and all the people it serves that for the term beginning April 1, 1905, the four political parties polling the largest vote nominated and voted as one for your re-election. The library is not, and of right ought not to be concerned in party politics. Where its governing body has proved harmonious and efficient, and the institution under its charge is growing healthfully, there is no valid reason why any change should be made. This seems a rather obvious statement, and yet a board serving two terms unchanged is unique in the history of this library. The city rather than the Board is to be congratulated on this move to higher ground.

Each of my monthly reports through the year has been able to make the claim that the circulation for that month was the largest in the library's history from the corresponding shows that the total home use of books has increased from 179,108 to 206,904, a gain of 27,796 for the year. Of this 16,942 in juvenile books. This is the first fiscal year of the use of the children's room, and the resulting increase in juvenile reading shows that the room is fully appreciated. The percentage of fiction is 52.64, as against 56.59 last year, and 73.3 in 1897-98. It is hardly necessary to say that this increase in the use of our books shows in binding and printing bills, and that it demands an increased sum for new books to keep up with the needs of our readers. The latter have increased from 9888 to 13,100 during the year.

"Our collection of books now numbers 40,569, as against 38,121 at the previous count, but while we may be glad that there is an increase, it hardly keeps pace with our population, and I was pained to notice that the number of books in Oakland's libraries in proportion to population is only about the general average of the United States. Surely the Athens of the Pacific ought not to be content with being no better than average in its number of books. The sum of \$500 for new books regularly asked for by the Trustees—and as regularly cut down at least 20 per cent by the Council—is not a whit too great for the needs of the city. If it cannot be allowed, that is a bitter necessity of city finances

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FICTION POPULAR.
"Comment has been made in the press from time to time on the proportions of the different classes of books used. It is easy to note that fiction is the most popular, 52.64 per cent, and on the other hand books on religion are least used, .55 of one per cent. It by no means follows that the people of Oakland are giving in any unusual degree to light reading or that they care but little for spiritual matters. It may be only this, that they come to the library for stories that they care to look over by once, and buy for permanent possession, books that are of solid value. The proportion of fiction, moreover, is lessening each year. As to books on religion, I should not recommend any person to trust to a public library for his needs. With limited book funds no library can buy books on religion that will cover the wishes of the varying creeds. The expenditures of public funds for religious books are added year by year, but they are in many cases the gifts of their writers. A man with a new idea in religion is apt to write a book about it and print an edition as large as the rest of his purse and his faith. But such books do not sell readily, and the author, thus left with many copies on his hands, is apt to think that he is doing the world a service by giving them away. Hence they will do the most good to the public libraries. So it happens that an undue proportion of the religious books in a public library are those that contain the radical or erratic views of an individual, rather than the settled doctrine of any historic religious body. I should be glad if all the principal churches of the city, those representing the saner systems that have stood the test of time, would present to the library volumes that contain the constructive and authorized statements of their doctrines, so that our shelves on religion might better represent the well-considered beliefs of the people. Then, possibly, there might be a larger percentage of them read."

"The children's room has justified its right to be most abundantly. My last report gave the results for the first six months, when a good deal of the attendance might have been due to mere curiosity. The attendance for the full year shows an average of 206 for each day open, as against 129 for the first six months, or 62,846 for the year.

IN THE SCHOOLS.
"Work with the schools has been actively kept up. I have visited many of the grammar schools to talk on the subject of books. The teachers have used the ten-card privilege freely, and the use of books for their pupils shows a gain of 5,100 books, more than double during the year.

"A still closer relation to the schools is promised in the near future, for in each of the new school buildings now constructing there is a room to be devoted to library use.

"The count of books June 12, 1904, showed 38,121 volumes. There were added during the year 3,944 volumes, by purchase 3,915, by binding 124, by donation 552, a total of 42,065. Of these 1,025 were discarded or lost and paid for, and

461 are missing. The count of June 14, 1905, showed 40,569 bound volumes in the library.

"The grounds about the building have been improved by the planting of many shrubs and vines. They have been under the care of the city gardener, and the policy of treating the library grounds as a city park works well.

"The reading rooms present but few changes. After the vigorous overhauling of last year ago they need less now, though all of them must have their usual cleaning. It was not possible to put proper covers on the magazines with the old appropriations. The need still remains. The same must be said of the deposit books in light reading or that they are not to be granted. The rooms present still the uneconomical state of having all the machinery—room, attendance and light—for branch library work, and none of it done for the use of the few books in each necessary to start it. Meanwhile the loaning of magazines after they have ceased to be current has grown from 10,998 to 12,515.

Librarian Greene also submitted his regular monthly report, which shows the number of borrowers, the number of books used in the several departments and the visitors to children's and reference rooms, with other information regarding the month's work."

TO DISCUSS CHINESE BOYCOTT

SEATTLE, August 9.—Dr. W. P. Martin, who gave the Chinese their first books on chemistry and international law, and for about forty years has been preaching and teaching in China, is in this city en route to New York City and Washington. In the latter city he will call upon President Roosevelt and Secretary Root relative to the Chinese exclusion laws. He will do so at the request of Chang Tung, viceroys of two central provinces near Hankow, for whom he acted as instructor for the last three years. Before leaving China the viceroys asked Dr. Martin to intercede with President Roosevelt relative to a modification of the exclusion laws. This he refused to do, but said he would personally lay before the President and Secretary Root the advisability of removing all cause for friction now lavished by exclusion laws by American officials upon Chinese subjects not included in the treaty and the harsh treatment of those persons at landing. Dr. Martin does not oppose the handling of the repatriation, travelers, students and merchants.

FISHERMEN IN BIG OYSTER WAR

NEW YORK, August 9.—An oyster war of such magnitude as to materially affect the local support of the season opening next month unless it is promptly settled, has broken out between independent fishermen in New York waters and a combination of wealthy oyster men who, it is declared not only controls the planted beds of the State, but are now trying to get hold of those of natural growth. The fishermen have organized a protective association and began proceedings yesterday to prevent the lease or sale, at nominal figures, of any oyster or clam beds of natural growth, to the members of the alleged trust.

In 1887 the Legislature passed a law for the purpose of stimulating the cultivation of oysters, providing for the sale of all available lands under water fit for shell fish cultivation, but expressly preserving for the State all the natural beds.

It is now alleged by the small fishermen that the big planters, for a nominal sum of about 25 cents an acre, acquired all the available lands under water near this city and began to encroach upon the natural beds.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS AS EQUALIZERS

James M'Manus' Petition to Uphold Traction and Key Route Assessment Referred to Auditor Breed.

At last night's meeting of the City Council there were present Councilmen Aitken, Burns, Elliot, Hahn, Donaldson, Meese, Pendleton and Thurston.

Councilman Meese was elected chairman in the absence of President Fitzgerald.

BOARDS OF EQUALIZATION.
Before the Council itself convened the members present resolved themselves into a City Board of Equalization, with Councilman Burns acting as chairman.

It was agreed to adjourn until next Thursday evening at which time and place the members will be present for the purpose of a reduction of assessment or notices of increase will be considered.

The last day on which the Board can sit is August 16.

REQUEST FOR REDUCTION.
Resolutions for reductions or correction of assessment were made as follows: Jesse B. Pond, H. M. McKenny, M. S. Vaslatos, Board of Education.

James M'Manus petitioned the Equalizers not to lower the assessment of the lines of the Key Route and Ferry Company and the lines of the Oakland Traction Company.

All of these matters will be taken up on Thursday evening next. The meeting will be passed on by City Assessor Breed, to whom they were referred.

The Adeline and Golden Gate Sanitary Board met as equalizers at which time they will be passed on by City Assessor Breed, to whom they were referred.

COUNCIL MEETS.
The ordinance finally accepting Telegraph avenue from Hobart street to Portfield street was passed by the Council. This resolution revealed thousands of contracting firms had tied up in the street.

BICYCLE ORDINANCE.
The bicycle ordinance with the Mayor's veto on it was before the Council. As there were not enough votes to pass it over the veto it was decided to lay the ordinance over until more Councilmen were present.

Councilman Pendleton wished to have the matter finally disposed of but Councilman Elliot thought that the veto of the Mayor was out of place and that it would be good policy to have the measure passed over the Mayor's veto.

REPORTS.
City Treasurer Bates reported that \$39,767 was on hand.

Boundmaster Julius Zabel reported 24 dogs impounded. Of this number 35 were redeemed and 23 destroyed.

Chief of Police Hodgkins reported that there were 253 saloons in the city of Oakland.

The message of the Mayor relative to two streets having the same name within the city was referred to the Street Committee.

RESOLUTIONS.
Resolutions were acted on as follows:

Granting the Blake & Bilger Co. permission to grade, curb and macadamize city-first street between Piedmont avenue and Montgomery street. Adopted.

Granting Little Frederickson permission to extend sewer in East Sixteenth street. Adopted.

Granting the Ransome Construction Co. permission to grade, curb and macadamize Howard street from Peralta to Brooklyn avenues. Adopted.

Granting the Ransome Construction Company permission to sewer Montgomery street between John and Howland streets. Adopted.

Granting John C. Brett et al permission to sewer.

RAW BLEEDING ECZEMA ON HANDS

Suffered for Six Long Months—Consulted Physician after Physician to no Avail—Cured in Week by Cuticura Soap and Ointment.

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"In thankfulness and great appreciation of your wonderful Cuticura Remedy I wish to inform all those who are troubled with a disease such as I had that Cuticura Ointment is the one and only cure for bleeding, raw eczema. For six long months I suffered and consulted physician after physician, to no avail. The sores were on both hands, and nothing seemed to help them. Finally I tried Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and in just one week I was entirely well. Allowing this to be published so that others may benefit from my experience, I am, yours respectfully, Burres E. Helfer, 414 N. Illinois St., Indianapolis, Ind., April 26, 1905."

"CUTICURA BEST IN WORLD For Skin and Hair."

"Cuticura Soap and Ointment cured me of a very bad skin disease from which I suffered for several years. I think Cuticura Soap and Ointment the best in the world for the skin and hair." (Signed) Sadie Bosan, 189 South Pike street, Shelbyville, Ind., May 7, 1905."

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ston to sewer Eighteenth street from Chabrus street to a point 132 feet easterly. Adopted.

Granting Blake & Bilger permission to grade, curb and macadamize the east one-half of Adeline street in the same district. Adopted.

Granting Mrs. Cass permission to construct cement sidewalks 5 feet wide on Fifty-fifth street. Adopted.

Requesting the Board of Public Works to sweep and sprinkle Telegraph avenue between Sixteenth and Fortieth streets. Adopted.

Requesting the Board of Public Works to submit to the Council a list of the streets in the city of Oakland having similar names. Adopted.

Authorizing the Board of Public Works to construct culverts on Sixty-fourth and other streets. Adopted.

Appropriating \$1100 additional for the purpose of constructing a culvert across Linda avenue, and directing the Board of Public Works to proceed with the work as heretofore authorized by the Council. Adopted.

Sustaining the protest against grading, curbing and macadamizing Eighteenth avenue between East Nineteenth and East Twentieth streets. Adopted.

Sustaining the protest against grading, curbing and curbing of Glen Avenue. Adopted.

Overruling the protest of S. M. Bruce et al. filed July 13, 1905, against grading the sewer on East Twenty-second street. Adopted.

Giving 20 days' notice to sidewalk East Eleventh street between Second and Fourth avenues and Thirty-ninth street between West and Grove streets. Adopted.

Requesting the Trustees of the Town of Berkeley to construct culverts across Telegraph avenue and Stockton avenue at Woolsey street. Adopted.

Adopting the following resolution of intention:

To grade, curb and macadamize Sixty-first street from a point 218 feet west of Occidental street to a point 287 feet westerly."

To grade, curb and macadamize East Twenty-eighth street from Thirteenth avenue to Vallecito place."

To grade, curb and macadamize East Twenty-first street from West to Grant streets."

To sewer Seventeenth avenue from East Twenty-first to a point—feet south of East Twenty-second street."

To grade, curb and macadamize Telegraph avenue to Shafter avenue."

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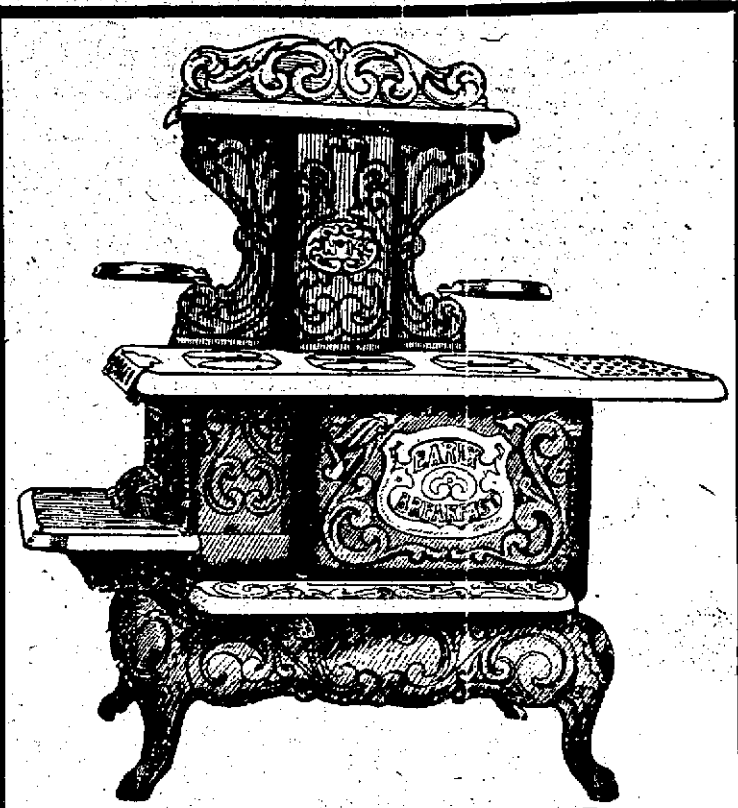
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BRITT TO BOX AT SAN LEANDRO

JAMES EDWARD WILL SPAR AT
NATIVE SONS' SHOW.

SAN LEANDRO, August 9.—One of the special features at the Native Sons' Fair here this week will be a boxing bout between Jimmy Britt, the champion lightweight fighter of the world, and Tiv-Kreling, of the Olympic Club, his sparring partner. This will take place Friday evening, the second day of the show.

Besides the circus specialties, there are to be many interesting side shows. Booths for refreshments, fancy work, notions and soft drinks are to be scattered about the commodious grounds, and managed by the different societies and fraternal orders.

It is hoped that Governor Pardee will be able to present tomorrow evening at the opening exercises. He is expected to make the speech to start the circus. There will also be a grand street parade, probably the largest seen in San Leandro for many a day.

Many athletic events, such as wrestling, races, jumping and similar feats are on the program every evening.

CAPT. M'KOWN OUT OF MILITIA

The resignation of Captain J. O. McKown, commander of I Company Fifth Infantry N. G. C. of Livermore in this county which was forwarded to headquarters at Sacramento several weeks ago, has, at length, been accepted.

The tender was made because Captain McKown could not spare the time demanded by military duties, from his private business.

Captain McKown is a fine soldier and the Company which he commanded, made a showing in the recent inspection which reflected credit both upon itself and its late chief.

The command has been turned over to Lieutenant Beck pending an election to succeed Captain McKown.

MUCH FREIGHT.
COLON, August 9.—During the last few months there has been an enormous increase in the freight arriving in Colon, most of which is material and supplies for the canal.

Owing to the insufficiency of the dock steamers and sailing vessels are frequently forced to lie in the stream for four days awaiting their turn. Beside this the rolling stock of the Panama Railroad is incapable of handling even the normal traffic across the isthmus.

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